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WANG CHING-WEI MAY BE TAKEN AT HIS WORD

JEHOL CITY BOMBED

JAPANESE PLANE'S SALLY

OFFICIAL REPORT

Peking, Aug. 11.

According to an official telegram from Tang Yu-lin, the Governor of Jehol, a Japanese aeroplane flew over and bombed the Jehol border town of Kailu yesterday.

The plane which seemed to have passed over Tungliao which is occupied by Chinese "Volunteer" forces, suspected of having reached Manchuria through Jehol, on its way to the Jehol frontier, dropped three bombs and machine-gunned the streets, firing several volleys.

Fortunately, there was no loss of life and no damage to property.—*Reuter.*

TARIFFS AND TRADE

THE DWINDLING OF EXPORTS

BRITISH FIGURES

London, Aug. 10.

The effects of tariffs on British trade are illuminatingly revealed in the official Board of Trade figures for July.

While imports have been considerably reduced, exports are also going steadily downhill, and the July exports were close to a new low record.

The official figures show that imports in July were valued at £51,921,000 as compared with £57,517,000 in June and £70,146,000 in July last year.

Exports were valued at £29,294,000 as compared with £29,723,000 in June and £34,252,000 in July last year.—*Reuter.*

HAMBURG POLICE ACTIVE

CRIMINAL QUARTER RAIDED

("Telegraph" Special).

Hamburg, Aug. 10.

The notorious and congested Gaenge quarter, which is a hotbed of Communists and the refuge of many criminals, was thoroughly and systematically searched by the police to-day.

As a result, numerous rifles, revolvers, knuckle-dusters, daggers, ammunition and seditious pamphlets were seized. A complete counterfeiting coin plant was also unearthed.

Over fifty arrests were made.—*Reuter.*

FLYING PREMIER IN FOG

ESCORTING PLANE LOST SIGHT OF

London, Aug. 10.

The Prime Minister, at the conclusion of his private visit to the Ulster home of the Air Minister, Lord Londonderry, to-day, had a very foggy air journey across the North Channel and Scotland to Lossiemouth, where he is continuing his holiday.

He travelled in a seaplane, but the escorting machine was lost sight of in the fog. When the seaplane descended in Lossiemouth harbour, a large crowd gave Mr. MacDonald a cordial ...—*British Wireless.*

SEVILLE REVOLT SPREADING

EXCITING SCENES IN MADRID

GOVERNMENT QUITE CONFIDENT

THE MONARCHIST RISING IN MADRID HAS BEEN SUPPRESSED BUT THE CHIEF OF THE CIVIL GUARD IN SEVILLE IS LEADING A REVOLT IN THE SOUTH WHICH APPEARS TO BE SPREADING THROUGH ANDALUSIA. IT IS REPORTED THAT HE HAS THE SUPPORT OF THE GARRISONS AT SEVILLE AND JEREZ.

It was officially announced in Madrid yesterday afternoon that the rising in Seville has been suppressed and that order had been restored in Jerez, but the announcement appears to have been distinctly premature. Troops are being rushed to the storm centre from several points.

SIXTY CASUALTIES IN MADRID

Madrid, Aug. 10.

Though the populace is now enthusiastically celebrating the quick suppression of the Monarchist rising in the capital, grave news has been received from Andalusia, in the "lazy South."

General San Jurgo, the Chief of the Seville Civil Guard, is the leader of the opposition to the Government in Seville. He has proclaimed himself Captain-General of Seville, with the support of the garrisons of Seville and Jerez.

Two regiments have been despatched from Madrid and troops are also reported to be preparing to proceed against Seville from Algeciras.

ENTIRE PROVINCE IN RISING.

Reuter's Gibraltar correspondent confirms the story of serious trouble in Andalusia, reporting persistent rumours that the rising in Seville is rapidly spreading through the entire province.

The Government appears to be sending troops from all quarters to suppress the rebels. A regiment is under orders to proceed to Cadiz from Algeciras forthwith.

DRASTIC MEASURES.

Later.

An emergency meeting of the Chamber passed a vote of confidence in the Government with acclamation following an address by Senor Azana, the Prime Minister, who stated that the Government is taking drastic steps to suppress the Seville rising, including the despatch of troops and economic measures.

It has now been revealed that the casualties in the brief battle of Madrid were eight killed and fifty wounded.

Those arrested following the outbreak include four generals and many youths.

NEWSPAPERS SUSPENDED.

Eight of the Right Wing newspapers, including the famous *A.B.C.* and *El Debate*, have been suspended indefinitely.

Reports from the majority of the provincial towns are encouraging for the Government indicating as they do enthusiastic support for the Republic.

Airmen this evening flew over Seville dropping pamphlets denying the overthrow of the Government, with which report General San Jurjo astonished wireless listeners in Madrid this afternoon by broadcasting from Seville.

EXCITING SCENES.

The most exciting scenes since the Republic was proclaimed were witnessed in the streets of Madrid to-night. Thousands and thousands packed the square in front of the Ministry of the Interior, waving Republican flags and shouting: "San Jurgo must be killed."

When motor-coaches filled with armed police ploughed through the mob they were loudly cheered.

The immense crowds were harangued by a grey-bearded, red-capped veteran until the Minister of the Interior himself emerged from the Ministry and addressed the crowd, which then swarmed through the streets to the square in front of the former Royal Palace and waited for President Zamora to address them.—*Reuter.*

ALFONSO IN CENTRAL EUROPE

DECLINES TO MAKE A STATEMENT.

London, Aug. 10.

Ex-King Alfonso, who is at present holiday-making at Koenigswart in Czecho-Slovakia, first learned of the Monarchist rising in Spain by telephone from Reuter's, London. He declined to make any statement.—*Reuter.*

The Spanish Republic is again engaged in suppressing a revolutionary outbreak. On left is the ex-King, on whose behalf the latest revolt was started, but apparently knew nothing about it. Other pictures give an impression of the suppressive measures.

SPEED RIVALS TO RACE

KAYE DON OFF TO AMERICA

TWO NEW BOATS

London, Aug. 10.

Mr. Kaye Don, who is to race Lord Wakefield's motor boat "Miss England III" for the Harmsworth International Trophy on Lake St. Clair, Detroit on September 2nd, 3rd and 5th, left Southampton today in the White Star liner, Majestic.

He said that "Miss England," which was shipped from Liverpool last Friday, would enter the race exactly as she was on Loch Lomond when she set up a new world's record of 119.81 miles per hour.

Kaye Don will have some days' practice before the contest in which he will again meet the American, Commodore Gar Wood, whose new boat has a considerably greater horsepower.—*British Wireless.*

KHARTOUM TRAGEDY

YOUNG BRIGADIER ELECTROCUTED

ATTEMPT TO SAVE GARDENER

("Telegraph" Special).

Khartoum, Aug. 10.

Brigadier Ernest Paul, son of the Assistant District Commissioner at Rufaa, was killed by electrocution to-day.

He met his death when heroically attempting to save a native prisoner from a similar fate.

Brigadier Paul was entering the club at Wadmedoni when he saw that the native who was trimming a tree had hooked an overhead electric wire with his pruning knife.

KILLED INSTANTLY.

Brigadier Paul realised that the man was in peril of his life and sprang to his assistance. He apparently succeeded in disengaging the gardener, but himself came into contact with the pruning knife and received the full shock of the current.

He was killed instantly.

His effort to save the gardener was also in vain. The man died later of the shock.—*Reuter.*

ATTEMPTED BANK FRAUD

YOUTH ADMITS HIS GUILT

A serious charge of attempting to defraud the Bank of China of $5,300 on a forged Internal Loan Bond of the Government of the Republic of China was brought against an unemployed youth Lui Wai-man, aged 24, before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court this morning.

The charge against the defendant was that on Tuesday last, at the Bank of China, with intent to defraud, he demanded or endeavoured to receive or obtain $5,300 by a forged certificate of 60 six per cent. Internal Loan Bonds of the Government of the Republic of China.

The defendant tendered a plea of guilty.

Detective Inspector John Murphy, who prosecuted, remarked that Mr. M. M. Watson had been instructed to prosecute.

The defendant was remanded until next Tuesday.

BRAZIL OUTLOOK

COMMUNICATIONS INTERRUPTED

London, Aug. 10.

The British Consul at Sao Paulo, Brazil, reports that all communications with Sao Paulo are still interrupted, following the recent trouble. The regular service of incoming air mails is, however, being received at Santos.—*British Wireless.*

AMERICA'S POLICY OVER MANCHURIA

JAPANESE ENVOY PAYS SPECIAL CALL.

Washington, Aug. 10.

Mr. Debuchi, the Japanese Ambassador in Washington, called upon Mr. H. L. Stimson to-day and talked with him for over an hour.

It was immediately assumed that the Japanese Government were alarmed by Mr. Stimson's speech defining America's interpretation of the Pact of Paris.

Mr. Debuchi afterwards denied that he had been asking Mr. Stimson for an explanation of his speech, but admitted that they had discussed the general situation in Manchuria.—*Reuter.*

MEN FIRST

NEW CREASELESS MATERIALS

TIES ON MARKET

London, Aug. 10.

The process which eliminates the crease from cotton, artificial silk and other fabrics, the discovery of which was announced in Manchester yesterday, has already been carried through to full commercial production.

It is the outcome of many years of research work by the well known industrial chemist, Dr. Willows, of Tootal, Broadhurst, Lee and Company, who have patented the process in Britain and twenty other countries, and are extending their Glossop works to produce creaseless fabrics.

The process also serves as a preservative to artificial silks and prevents them from rotting when washed.

It is applicable also to linen, shoddy and silk and is applied after the goods are bleached, dyed or printed.

The first antic-crease goods being marketed are men's ties, which were chosen as the best articles to demonstrate the advantages of the new discovery.—*British Wireless.*

OTTAWA TALKS CONTINUE

CABINET HOLDS A MEETING

London, Aug. 10.

At the Ottawa Conference today, the United Kingdom and Canadian experts, at a joint meeting, continued their analysis of the Canadian proposals.

A further meeting of the Canadian Cabinet was also held.—*British Wireless.*

SHARE GAMBLE CONTINUES

N.Y. STOCKS DOUBLE VALUE IN MONTH

DEALING FRENZY

Warnings of a possible havoc-wreaking reaction have failed to check the frenzied speculation on the New York Stock Exchange.

The "bulls" are keeping up the pressure and over four million shares changed hands yesterday, all stocks rising from one to seven points. Industrials were up 2.31 on the Dow Jones average.

The amazing change of atmosphere on the Exchange is best judged by a comparison of today's prices with those of a month ago. General Motors closed at 15 compared with 8 on July 10.

STARTLING INCREASES.

American Telephones are nearly 50 points up, International Harvesters are standing at 31 as against 10¾, Steels are at 42⅞ from 21¼, Union Pacifics at 68⅛ from 28, Chemicals at 80½ from 45, Du Ponts at 40 from 23, General Electrics at 18⅞ from 9½, International Telephones at 9½ from 4, Loews at 28 from 14¼, Pennsylvania Railways at 16⅛ from 7⅛, Radio Corporations at 7⅞ from 3⅞, Sears Roebuck at 23⅞ from 10¾, and Westinghouses at 35 from 16½.

Some of the shares have more than doubled in value, the most remarkable advances being in railway stocks, the average for which is now 28.62 as against 13.32 a month ago and 22 a week ago.

GOLF CHAMPION FAILS

UNABLE TO QUALIFY FOR P. G. A. TITLE

New York, Aug. 10.

Gene Sarazen, winner this year of the British Open and the American Open golf championships, failed to qualify for the Professional Golfers' Association's Championship.

The qualifying round was over thirty-six holes. Sarazen returned a card of 75 which proved to be not good enough.—*Reuter.*

CHIANG AT KULING

INTERVIEW WITH LIN SEN

ISSUE IN DOUBT

RESIGNATIONS MAY BE ACCEPTED

(Telegraph Special.)

Shanghai, Aug. 11.

The impression is growing that Mr. Wang Ching-wei's resignation of the Premiership will be accepted, although the final outcome of the political crisis is still extremely doubtful.

It is learned from a reliable source this morning that Marshal Chiang Kai-shek left Hankow yesterday for Kuling, for a personal conference with Mr. Lin Sen, the President of the State Council, over the question of Mr. Wang Ching-wei's resignation.

It is also understood that Chiang Kai-shek has sent a long telegram to Mr. Wang Ching-wei assuring him that he (Chiang) will hold himself responsible for the Manchurian issue and that he would start his preparations after the extermination of the bandit menace in the Central China provinces.

URGED TO WITHDRAW.

Concluding the telegram is an appeal to Mr. Wang Ching-wei to withdraw his resignation in order that the country shall present a united front against external aggression.

Chow Keng-shen, the representative of Chiang Kai-shek, arrived in Shanghai this morning to present an important letter from Chiang to Wang Ching-wei.

"NOT IN."

Cheng Chun-ming, Chu Chia-hua and Chu Pei-teh also arrived in Shanghai from Nanking this morning, but up to the present none of the visitors has succeeded in locating Mr. Wang Ching-wei, who is seeking to avoid personal interviews.

Well-informed circles predict that the Government will eventually accept the resignation of Wang Ching-wei and also that of Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang.

It is intimated that either General Ho Ying-ching, Chiang's second-in-command and trusted lieutenant, or Chu Pei-teh will be placed in command in North China, with General Yu Hsueh-chung as Garrison Commander of Peking and Tientsin.

TSAI YUAN-PEI.

As to the candidate for the Presidency of the Executive Yuan, in the event of the acceptance of Wang Ching-wei's resignation, Dr. Tsai Yuan-pei has been mentioned as the most hopeful one.

A good deal will, of course, depend upon the result of the interview between Mr. Lin Sen and Chiang Kai-shek at Kuling.—*Reuter.*

DOLLAR AGAIN RISES

BUT MARKET VERY UNCERTAIN

The Hongkong dollar rose 1/8th this morning to 1s. 3.7/8d. This reflected an advance in silver prices, but the local market is very uncertain, though the undertone is steady.

In London, silver rose 1/6th. Speculators bought and sold, and there was small business. The market closed uncertain. After the official fixing, the market ruled firm on further support from America.

New York reports silver up 5/8th, with the market firm. The cross-rate is ...

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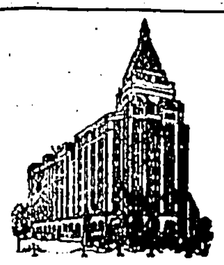
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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney.

The number of probable tricks in a hand should be sole measure of the opening "Game-Demand of Three." As probable tricks are derived from both high card tricks and low card tricks and, as low card tricks are derived from long suits, it follows that unequal distribution, represented by long suits, is the important factor governing the requirements for a "Game-Demand Bid of Three."

The essential principle that a sound "Game-Demand Bid of Three" must show are:

(a) Nine (9) probable tricks in the bidder's hand if the declaration is in a major suit.

(b) Ten (10) probable tricks in the bidder's hand if the declaration is in a minor suit, and with this further proviso—

(c) If the partner makes the obligatory minimum three no trump response, and the opening bidder elects to let the no trump stand, either from choice or by reason of no additional bid to offer, his hand must guarantee eight (8) tricks at no trump.

Hence, there are four stipulations in the "Game-Demand Bid of Three:"

(1) The original bidder must be able either to rebid the suit he first named (by this is meant the suit must be strong enough to make him practicall independent of trump support in the bid suit) or

(2) He must have a second suit in reserve to bid; or

(3) He must be able to support any suit take-out that his partner may make ; or

(4) Failing any of the above three stipulations, he must be fortified against the frequent obligatory minimum response of three no trump, which the terms of the convention require of the partner in the absence of a raise or suit take-out.

Original suit bids of four and five are just the same in any system. They are pre-emptive bids and have the same requirements as in all other systems.

To make a "defensive suit bid of one" there must be a biddable five-card suit and a minimum of one and one-half high card tricks. If a four-card suit, two high card tricks should be held.

To make a "defensive suit bid of two," not vulnerable, there must be a fair five-card biddable suit and a minimum of two high-card tricks with four to five probable tricks in the hand. If vulnerable, the suit bid should be a strong suit, such as A-Q-J-8-6.

When one makes a "defensive suit bid of three" you are getting into the danger zone. With the "official system's" opening bid of two, the defending hand is placed in a most embarrassing position, particularly when the two bid happens to be a major. The cheap, defensive, strategical bid vanishes and the opponents must be very careful. When not vulnerable, about six (6) probable tricks are the safety minimum; when vulnerable seven (7) for the "defensive suit bid of three."

The "attacking overcalls" are made in five ways as follows:

1—Through the informative double.

The strength necessary is four (4) high card tricks, distributed in at least three suits (or a count of 15 points, using the 4-3-2-1 count).

2—By making a jump overcall; that is, by bidding one trick more than necessary to overcall the previous bid.

The minimum for this bid is three (3) high card tricks with six (6) to seven (7) probable tricks in the hand. This is not a "game-demand bid" but is strongly invitational.

3—By overcalls in the opponents' bid suit.

If your partner has bid, this is a "game-demand bid" and in fact it indicates slam possibilities. It shows general high card strength (at least four (4) high card tricks) and usually freakish distribution. It guarantees control of the first lead of the suit the opponents have bid and adequate support for the original bid suit and is one of the strongest of all bids. If your partner has not bid, at low stages of bidding it means that you have a strong biddable suit, that the opponents have probably been bluffing and that you are willing to play the suit. If made at higher stages it indicates a hand of tremendous strength and partner must respond.

4—By no trump overcalls.

This is an attacking bid and shows at least two stoppers in the opponents' suit and a no trump count of at least as much as an original no trump bid in a comparable position at the table.

5—By fourth-hand bids of any character over dealers uncontested original bid of less than game.

To make this bid the hand must show strong high card tricks distributed in two, preferably three, suits. The strength should be greater when overcalling a suit bid than when overcalling a no trump bid. The minimum requirements should show as much strength as an opening fourth-hand bid.

TAILOR DISCHARGED.

CALLED A LUCKY MAN BY MAGISTRATE

"I am afraid if I convict you, I would be right in facts but wrong in law," remarked Mr. Fraser at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon in discharging Cheung Wah, a Chinese ladies' tailor, who was charged with larceny of five $50 notes from the hand-bag of Miss Nelly Zamora, a visitor to Hongkong from the Philippines.

Inspector Elston, it will be recalled, alleged that the theft took place in Miss Zamora's room in the Peninsula Hotel on the morning of July 31. Defendant had been called by Miss Zamora to the hotel, and when he was in her room, she found five $50 bills missing from her hand-bag which she had left on a table.

Evidence for the prosecution concluded yesterday, after which Mr. Leo D'Almada, Sr., who represented the defendant, submitted that he had no case to answer at all. He could, if his Worship liked, put his client in the witness-box and leave him to any questions his Worship might ask, but contended that as long as the defendant denied the charge, the Court must believe him.

Mr. D'Almada went on to say that the evidence for the prosecution was very weak, and asked his Worship not to forget the ingredients which made up a charge of larceny.

Away for Five Minutes.

It was admitted by the complainant herself that defendant had left the room for five minutes; the money was found in a fashion-book belonging to the defendant a few hours after he had been taken to the Police Station; defendant was not immediately searched on the spot. Mr. D'Almada pointed out that these were some of the weaknesses of the evidence given by the prosecution.

On the whole, he continued, he felt he must ask his Worship to discharge his client.

Inspector Elston admitted that the fact that the money was found several hours after the defendant had been taken to the Station was a point in his favour. However, with regard to the point stressed by Mr. D'Almada that defendant was not searched on the spot, he pointed out that the Police had no authority to search anybody except for arms, and they did not suspect that the defendant carried arms. The regulation was for them to demand that a person showed them all he had and then keep a careful watch on him until they reached the Station, where he could be searched.

In discharging the defendant, his Worship said he was a very lucky man.

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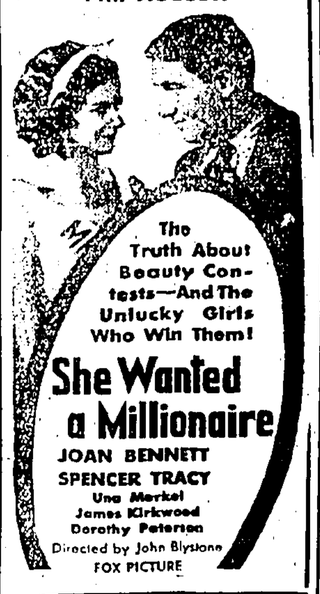

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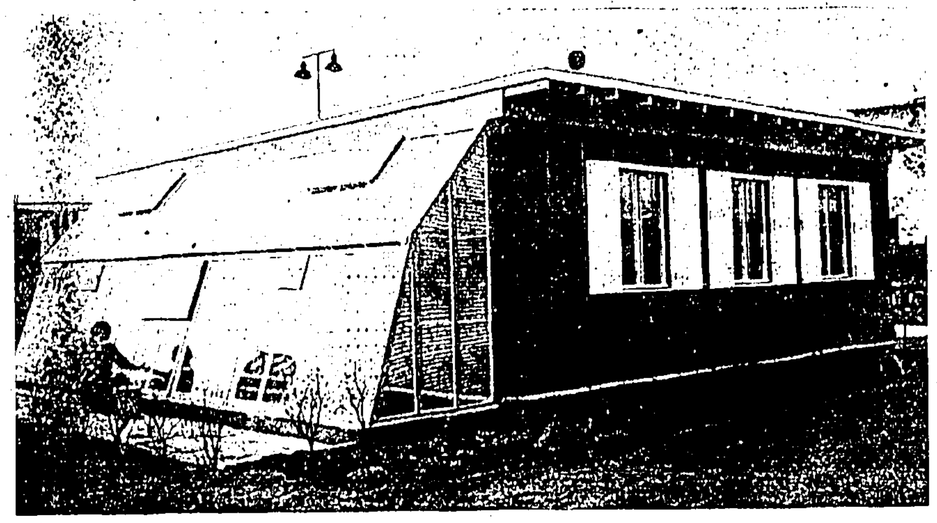
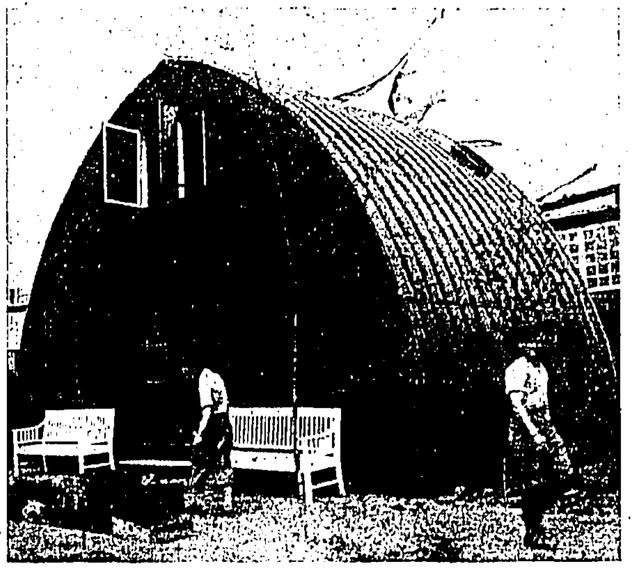
SUN AIR AND HOMES FOR ALL: BERLIN'S GREAT SUMMER EXHIBITION

Despite the political and financial crises in Germany, the country is offering a challenge to the world in its handling of social problems, such as the housing of its people. Advanced modern ideas characterise the work of Germany's architects and much ingenuity is put into the cheaper house. A big summer exhibition held in Berlin recently provided the visitors with many delightful surprises. Photo above shows a remarkable example of modern house-construction, added to the fact that it is built upon water.

A bevy of laughing frauleins on the miniature railway at the Berlin Summer Exhibition.



A bungalow in the Berlin Exhibition, constructed in the main, of copper.



Another model house at the Berlin Exhibition, built entirely of steel.

The above photo shows a section of an exhibition of entries in a competition for the best design of a new monument. There is a remarkable variety. The exhibition was held in Berlin.

LEAP YEAR BRIDE

by Laura Lou BROOKMAN

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

Cherry Dixon, 19 and pretty, tells her mother she is going to a club meeting but instead meets Dan Phillips, newspaper reporter with whom she is in love. Her wealthy parents do not know she is acquainted with Dan. Cherry goes with him to interview a bank robber's sweetheart. She blunders into underworld headquarters and a bullet strikes her arm. Dan takes her to a doctor's office and then home. He is trying to explain what has happened when Mr. Dixon appears. Dhan is very angry and brandishes a newspaper containing Cherry's picture and an account of the shooting. He orders Dan from the house.

Days pass and Sarah, Cherry's maid, discovers Dan has telephoned and been told the girl is out of town. Cherry steals out of the house, meets Dan and explains. He tells her he loves her. When Cherry arrives home her father is waiting and accuses her of having met the reporter. Cherry defies her father and he orders her to apologize or leave. She runs out of the house. Later that evening she finds Dan, tells him what has happened, and says, "Let's get married!"

They are married by a justice of the peace. Friends of Dan's find them and stage a celebration. Cherry and Dan manage to steal away from the party.

CHAPTER X

Cherry crossed the room and gave the window shade a tug. Bright morning sunshine was a fine thing, but too much of it was as bad as none. It blinded you.

She tossed her head back shaking the tangled mass of dark hair into becoming disarray. Then she sat down in the big chair, leaned back and surveyed the room.

She made an amusing picture. Pulled about her and tied securely at the waist was Dan Phillips' old dressing gown. A strange purplish-red hue now, the dressing gown had once been a handsome brocade. It was many sizes too large. Cherry had rolled the sleeves back, but the shoulder seams reached almost to her elbows. Dainty lace trimmed lingerie showed where the dressing gown fell away. Her buckled pumps were tiny and narrow, her hose of the sheerest mesh.

Suddenly she jumped up and went to the dressing table. A sheet of paper lay there, a few words scrawled on it in pencil. Cherry picked up and paper and read:

"Cherry—I love you. Be ready to have lunch with me.

"I'll call some time after 12.—Dan"

She had read the words at least a dozen times. At first it had been a surprise to realize that never before had she seen Dan's handwriting. That was odd, and still it wasn't. There were so many things Cherry had yet to learn about this young husband of hers.

Her husband. The girl's smile became a dreamy sort of radiance. She caught a glimpse of herself in the mirror and stared, fascinated.

Was that what love did to you? She seemed an entirely different person than she had been yesterday. The worn-out dressing gown caught her eye and suddenly the smile became a rippling laugh. Of course she was a different person. She was Mrs. Daniel Phillips!

"Oh, I'm so happy!" Cherry sang aloud. "I'm so happy!" She whirled in a dashing pirouette and flung herself upon the bed.

Each morning at home Cherry had started the day with fruit, hot rolls and steaming coffee. Usually they were brought to her bedside on a tray. Sarah would be there to pour the coffee and ask if everything was as it should be. Sarah would bring a quilted satin breakfast coat and slip it about the girl's shoulders to keep her warm while she ate.

Sarah, bless her! Where was she and what was she doing now? What were Cherry's mother and father thinking of the way their daughter had run off the night before? Were the servants whispering and wondering what had happened? Did others outside the house know about it?

For an instant the girl felt a pang of guilt. Her mother would be worrying. Crying perhaps at this very moment. Cherry loved her mother. She loved her father, too—when he was not roaring out orders or frightening her. Perhaps she should write a note—

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Cherry's chin raised and set in a firm line. No indeed!. If she wrote they would imagine she was asking for forgiveness. She could not do it!

The dainty platinum watch on the girl's wrist reminded her it was growing late. Almost 10:30. There would be an hour and a half at least before Dan telephoned.

What about breakfast?

She decided not to go out for it; then almost instantly changed her mind. After all there was nothing to do until Dan called. A breath of fresh air and a brisk walk would be good for her.

She discarded the dressing robe and hung it away. Dan's clothing crowded the tiny closet to overflowing. As Cherry turned she realized what a really hideous room this was. Dark, dismal paper on the walls. Worn spots in the carpet. Two of the dressing table drawers were pulled out revealing garments tossed about. Newspapers and magazines in staggering piles littered the table and one of the chairs. The furniture was not only out of date; it looked as though it had not been dusted for days.

What a contrast to her rose and blue boudoir at home!

Cherry considered this a moment, then shrugged. "We won't stay here long," she told herself. "Dan said we could move and I'll begin looking at apartments right after lunch."

The beige crepe Cherry had worn the night before hung over a chair. She held it up, shaking her head. It was certainly not a costume to wear to breakfast in a restaurant. The tiny cap sleeves and becoming neckline were of lace, over which skilful French fingers had laboured for long hours. Too elaborate, too distinctive in its simple, unusual manner of cutting and seaming for the street.

Still there was no choice. Cherry slipped the frock over her head and snapped the fastenings.

Another note for her mental memorandum: she would have to buy some clothes.

With the polo coat pulled about her and the brown hat drawn down smartly Cherry set forth. Downstairs the hotel lobby, with its chandeliers still burning, looked exactly as it had the night before. A clerk she had not seen stood at the desk. Very self-consciously Cherry approached and left her room key.

She went out into the sunshine. The air was cool, bracing, but with that indefinable quality that never, never any but a day of spring can boast. Cherry breathed deeply, wondering why all the world was not out to enjoy the glorious morning.

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She made her way to the restaurant where she and Dan had gone the night before. At the corner she stopped and bought a newspaper. The want ad pages might help her to find a place for her and Dan to live. Cherry had never read a want ad. but she understood vaguely that people who had apartments to rent advertised them there.

An apple-cheeked waitress in a fresh yellow uniform smiled at Cherry and presented the menu card.

"Orange juice, coffee and toast," the girl ordered. She spread the newspaper to its full size and glanced at the first page hastily. A heading caught her eye.

MISS DIXON BRIDE OF NEWSPAPER REPORTER

It was only a paragraph. The brief report stated that Miss Cherry Dixon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Dixon of Sherwood Heights, and Daniel Phillips reporter for the *Wellington News*, had been married the night before by Justice of the Peace Cunningham. The paragraph listed the schools Cherry had attended adding that she was a popular member of the younger social set." Another sentence stated that Dan was on the *News* editorial staff and previously had been employed by the *Sentinel*.

Cherry was flushed and her eyes bright as she read the last words. So everyone knew! Her father and mother must have seen that paragraph. Well, they would understand now that she had meant what she said!

Lost in these thoughts Cherry scarcely noticed when the waitress returned with her order. She remembered presently, drank the orange juice and coffee and nibbled at the toast. Then she paid her bill and departed.

She went directly to the hotel, anxious to hear from Dan. It seemed a long while before the telephone rang and his voice came over the wire.

"Hello. That you, Cherry?"

"Yes, Dan. I've been waiting for you."

"How are you, baby? Sorry I couldn't give you a ring earlier, but I've been chasing all over town. Listen, dear, we'll have to call off that lunch date."

"Oh, Dan!"

"It's bum luck, but there's no way out of it. I'm parked out here at the airport and there's no telling when we'll get away. Those two girl flyers were due half an hour ago and we'll have to wait till they land or word comes they're down. It wasn't supposed to be my assignment, but Groves is tied up at City Hall."

"But can't you—?"

"I can't do anything but stay here," Dan assured her. "I hate to disappoint you, honey, but I can't help myself. Try to find some way to amuse yourself and we'll make up for it with a bang-up dinner party tonight. Is that all right?"

Reluctantly she told him it was. Phillips said something that brought a quick smile to the girl's face and then the conversation was over.

Well—not only a long morning to herself, but the afternoon as well!

The newspaper in which she had intended to search for apartment addresses lay on the table, but suddenly Cherry's interest had waned.

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She made up her mind to go shopping instead. There was less than $10 in her purse, but all her life Cherry had made purchases on charge accounts. Besides she simply had to have a dress. If she went to Maison Madelaine she knew they would be glad to open an account for her.

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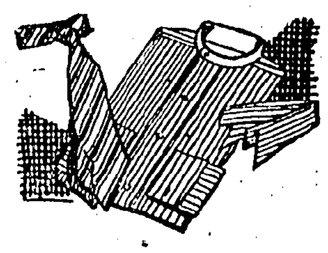

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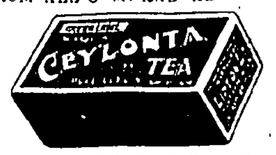
GREEN  LABEL

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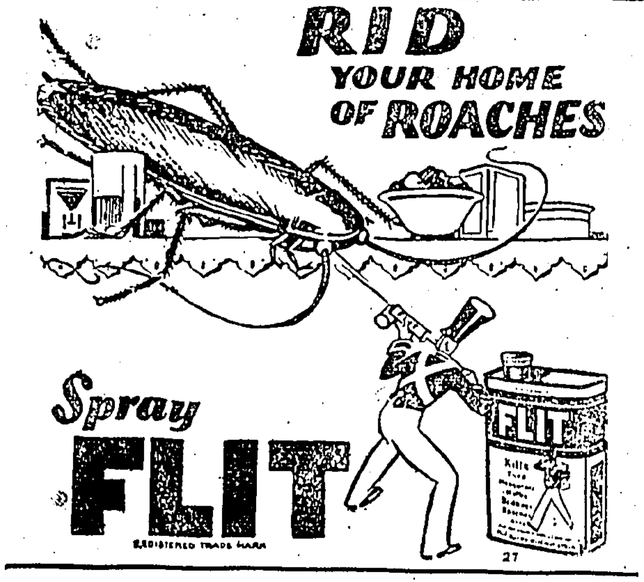

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CINEMA SCREENINGS.

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

Wallace Beery and Jackie Cooper is the unique combination heading the cast of "The Champ," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's vivid drama of life on the Mexican border, which will open on Sunday at the Queen's Theatre. Beery plays a broken-down fight champion, and the hero of "Skippy" is seen as his son in a poignant heart-interest tale in which much comedy and a few thrills are intermingled. King Vidor directed, the production, from an original story by Frances Marion.

Life on the Mexican border is vividly shown, many of the scenes in the picture having been filmed on Mexican locales, through courtesy of the Lower California government. The "inside" of the "fight racket" the Caliente races, actually filmed at the Mexican track, the great gambling halls of the "American Monte Carlo" and other striking intimate details give unique interest to the picture, most of this having never before been shown on the screen. Among the dramatic highlights are the race, the sensational prize fight in which Beery essays his "comback" the dramatic sacrifice for the sake of the boy, and the battle with the Mexican police. A notable cast appears, including Irene Rich, Rosco Ates, Edward Brophy, Hale Hamilton, Jesse Scott and Marcia Mae Jones.

It is King Vidor's first directorial effort since his highly successful "Street Scene."

"She Wanted a Millionaire."

The film career of Joan Bennett, who is co-featured with Spencer Tracy in "She Wanted A Millionaire" the Fox romantic drama, opening next Sunday at the King's Theatre, is one that has been filled with crooks and scoundrels.

"Bulldog Drummond," in which she made her talking picture debut, opposite Ronald Colman, offered Joan her first opportunity to X-ray the mind of a gentleman thief. In "Three Live Ghosts" she was thrown in with a kleptomaniac. In "The Mississippi Gamble," Miss Bennett was drawn into the dragnet of card sharps and the foul air of gaming rooms. Criminals ran rampant in "Scotland Yard," and to climax a career in metropolitan underworlds she was led to a racketeer's lair in "Hush Money."

"She Wanted A Millionaire" gives Miss Bennett an entirely different atmosphere to work in. Millionaires and a high social life lend a fitting background to the intriguing story. It was while making this film that the blonde star fell from a horse she was riding in one of the scenes and received a painful injury, which was at first thought to be fatal. For six months and more Miss Bennett lay in a Los Angeles hospital and when she had at last recovered, once more mounted the same horse that had previously thrown her and in the retaking of the scene, rode him past the same hooded cameras that had made him baulk.

Una Merkel, James Kirkwood and Dorothy Peterson will be seen in support of Miss Bennett and Tracy in this film which John Blystone directed from the screen play of William Anthony McGuire.

"Dracula," Supreme Film Mystery.

A strange weird motion picture that outdoes all previous mysteries of the screen is "Dracula," the startling Universal production which is showing for the last time at the Central Theatre to-day, and has scored a sensational success.

It may safely be said that this story is distinctly in a class by itself, and that its subject matter is absolutely unique among film productions. For "Dracula," which was adapted from Bram Stoker's famous novel of the same name, deals with human vampires, which ancient superstition describes as horrible "undead" creatures who rise from their graves at night.

Whether or not you believe in this major premise of the story, you will be enthralled by its presentation on the screen. The entire picture is done with such artistry and such compelling sincerity that while the story is unfolding on the screen one can hardly fail to regard its incidents as true representations of actual occurences. It is as powerful in its effect on the emotions of the audience as any picture we will recall.

Great is the power of illusion. This was never better illustrated than in "Dracula." On leaving the theatre the audience knows that it cannot be true, and yet while the story is unfolding on the screen the spectators sit enthralled by its gruesome horrors. Their belief, temporary though it may be, is indicated by a powerful manner in which the picture effects them. Indeed it is stated that no other motion picture ever made equals this in its hold on the emotions of the audience—which perhaps is a compliment to the artistry with which the film was produced.

Scenically, "Dracula" is magnificent, and its settings fully preserve the thrillingly uncanny atmosphere of the story.

"The Sin Ship."

Thrilling, adventure, chilling intrigue, colourful sea-going atmosphere and action, with Louis Wolheim and Mary Astor involved in a dramatic love entanglement! That, in essence, describes Radio Pictures' "The Sin Ship," which comes to the Queen's Theatre to-day. Of particular interest is Louis Wolheim in a romantic part—entirely different from anything he has done. To say he succeeds, eminently, in establishing a new and greater Wolheim, is to put it mildly. Which is due, it seems, to three conditions—Wolheim's direction, the story, and the inspiration of a beautiful star like Mary Astor.

If "The Sin Ship" is an indication of what Wolheim can do as a director, let's have some more of his work. The story is knit closely psychologically sound, and shows no sign of those obvious "directorial touches." Mary Astor, in a role essentially unsympathetic wins new screen laurels. In the supporting cast are Hugh Herbert, Ian Keith, Bert Starkey, Alan Roscoe and Russell Powell.

"Wicked."

Teeming over with human touches, the Fox drama, "Wicked," with Elissa Landi in the starring role, will hold audiences spellbound at the King's Theatre where it is playing its local engagement.

Outstanding is the dramatic work of Miss Landi, the brilliant and beautiful young English actress, who came to the screen with an enviable record as a European star of both stage and screen. Her portrayal of the young and trustful wife, disillusioned shortly after her honeymoon when she discovers her husband to be a clever bank robber rather than the industrious bank clerk he pretended to be, is one of the screen's finest dramatic contributions to date.

Victor McLaglen, who made screen history with his impersonation of Captain Flagg in "What Price Glory" and "The Cock Eyed World," is another player who gives a splendid and intelligent performance in an extremely difficult role. He is the leading male player of "Wicked."

Una Merkel, who was last seen in Janet Gaynor's sensational hit, "Daddy Long Legs," is also among the featured players as is Theodore Von Eltz and Allan Dinehart, late of the New York Stage, who made his talking picture debut in Fox's "The Brat." The cast is complete with such luminaries as Irene Rich, Oscar Apfel, Mae Busch, Eileen Percy, Alice Lake and Claire McDowell among others.

Director Allan Dwan has given the story a finished and realistic touch again proving his mastery of the camera and microphone.

"Touchdown."

Regis Toomey was once a football player. He dons the uniform again as a captain of one of the grid teams whose play figures in the plot of "Touchdown" at the Oriental Theatre.

Toomey, an alumnus of the University of Pittsburgh, plays football only in his freshman year, injuries sustained while a member of the first-year squad prohibiting his later participation in the gridiron sport. He starred in track however, throughout his four years at Pitt, and was student football manager.

Richard Arlen, who heads the cast of "Touchdown!" was a first string quarterback at St. Thomas, and Charles Starrett, another of the principals, a Dartmouth graduate, played half on the "Big Green" team during 1924 and 1925.

Further assuring an authentic background for "Touchdown!" is the presence on the picture's technical staff of "Racehorse" Russ Saunders, University of Southern California quarterback, and named signal caller on the first all-American team in 1929. It was Saunders who raced ninety-five yards to a touchdown after the kick-off against Notre Dame when the "Trojans" met the "Fighting Irish" at Soldiers' Field, Chicago, in 1929.

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Manila	Pres. McKinley	August 15.
Japan and Shanghai	Angkor	August 16.
Saigon	Chenonceaux	August 16.
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Australia and Manila	Atsuta Maru	August 18.
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OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs., Aug. 11, 3 p.m.
Formosa	Batavia Maru	Thurs., Aug. 11, 3.30 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Thurs., Aug. 11, 4 p.m.
Saigon	Haldis	Thurs., Aug. 11, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C.	Empress of Russia	Fri., Aug. 12. Parcels, Aug. 11, 5 p.m. Reg., Aug. 12, 9.15 a.m. Letters, Aug. 12, 10 a.m. (Due Vancouver B.C., 2nd Sept.)
Amoy	Tjibadak	Fri., Aug. 12, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Fri., Aug. 12, 1 p.m.
Foochow	Chenan	Fri., Aug. 12, 3.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Rawalpindi	Sat., Aug. 13. K. P. O. Parcels 12th, 4.30 p.m. Registration 13th, 9 a.m. Letters 13th, 10 a.m. G. P. O. Parcels 12th, 5 p.m. Registration 13th, 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m. (Due Marseilles, 9th September).
Formosa	Kwansai Maru	Fri., Aug. 12, 3.30 p.m.
Shanghai	Muensterland	Fri., Aug. 12, 4.30 p.m.
Australia (except places North of Brisbane) and New Zealand via Singapore and Brisbane	Rawalpindi	Sat., Aug. 13. (to connect with the s.s. "Nieuw Zeeland" at Singapore: leaving Singapore, on 19th August). Registration 9.15 a.m. Letters 10.00 a.m. (Due Brisbane, 3rd Sept.)
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kiungchow	Sat., Aug. 13, 12.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Taft	Sat., Aug. 13, 4.30 p.m.
Amoy	Antung	Sat., Aug. 13, 5 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., Aug. 14, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kaying	Sun., Aug. 14, 9 a.m.
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Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ching	Tues., Aug. 16, 1 p.m.
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Shanghai, Japan and *Europe via Siberia	Chenonceaux	Tues., Aug. 16, 2 p.m.
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Lands, Hotels, etc.
Hotels (old), $10.70 b.
Hotels (new), $10.30 b.
H.K. Lands, $78 b.
S'hai Lands, Tls.25¼ n.
Metropolitan Lands, Tls. 10 n.
Humphreys, $16 n.
H.K. Realties $10.80 n.
Asia Realties "A", $155 n.
Asia Realties "B", $263¾ n.
Chinese Estates, $105 n.
China Realties, Tls. 11.40 n.
China Debentures Tls. 96½ n.

Cottons.
Ewo Cottons, Tls. 14.05 b.
S'hai Cottons, Tls. 70 n.
Zoong Sings, Tls. 10.60 n.
Wing On Textiles (S.) $145 n.

Public Utilities.
Tramways, $22.95 n.
Peak Trams (old), $16 n.
Peak Trams (new), $7½ b.
Star Ferries, $93¾ n.
Yaumati Ferries (old), $34 b.
Yaumati Ferries (new), $33 b.
China Lights (old), $18 b.
China Lights (new), $17.50 b.
H.K. Electrics, $77¾ b.
Macao Electrics, $24 n.
Sandakan Lights, $12 n.
Telephones (F.P.), $28 n.
Telephones (P.P.), $23.50 b.
China Buses, Tls.12 n.
Singapore Tractions, 2/- n.
Singapore Pref. 12/6 n.

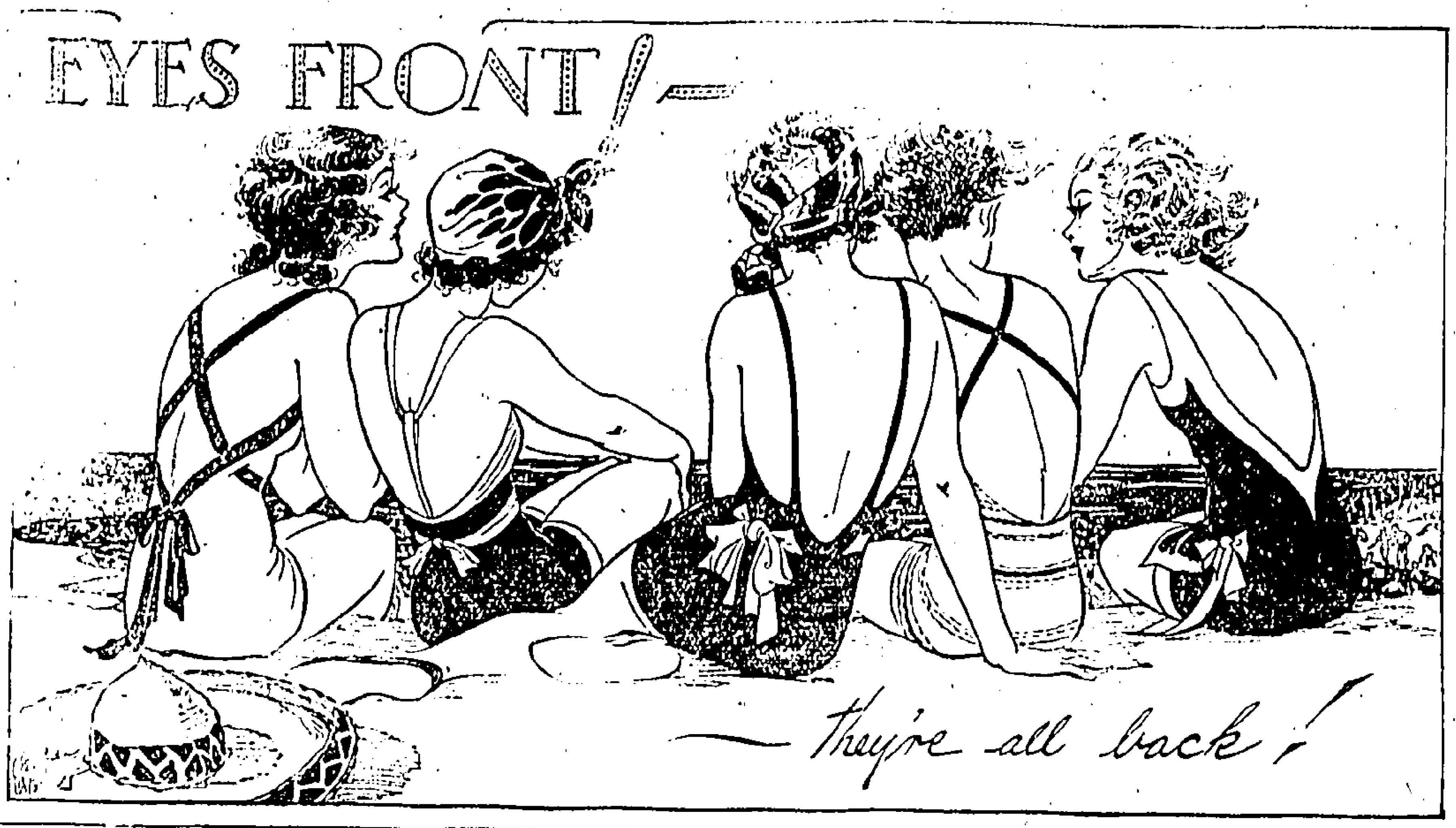
Industrials.
Malabon Sugars, $23 b.
Cald: Macg. (Ord.), Tls.14 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Tls.10½ n.
Canton Ices, $6 n.
Cements (com.), $15.70 s.
Cements (old), $10½ n.
Cements (new), $5 n.
H.K. Ropes, $13 n.
Agriculturals, $10¼ n.

Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, $27.60 b.
Watsons (old), $12.80 b.
Watsons (new), $12½ n.
Der. A. Wings, $1 n.
Lane Crawfords, $5.40 b.
Mackintoshs, $21 n.
Sinceres, $15.75 n.
Wm. Powells, $3.35 n.
Wing On (H. K.), $265 n.

Miscellaneous.
Amusements, $19¼ b.
Entertainments, $13¼ n.
S. C. Enterprises, $3¼ n.
United Theatres Tls 5 n.
Macao "Greyhounds", $10 n.
Constructions (old), $7.50 b.
Constructions (new), $1.70 n.
B. Ind. G. $ Bonds, $58% n.
H.K. Govt. Loans, 3% Pre. sa.
Wallace Harpers, $12.90 n.
China Sports Ltd., $10 n.

WOMEN'S WORLD

FOR OUR LADY READERS.



SHORT CUTS TO BEAUTY.

Care of the Back.

First of all the back must have a beauty bath. The water must be made milky with oatmeal and scented with powdered orris root. This bath will soften and bleach the skin. Once a week during the back beautifying process have a home Turkish bath. Put half a pound of Epsom salts in a hot bath and sit in it for at least twenty minutes adding more hot water as soon as the bath cools.

During this time sip a pint of hot water to which has been added a tea-spoonful of the salt. While in the bath massage the back briskly with a loofah. The Epsom salts bath is a splendid thing for getting rid of spring blemishes which appear on the back more frequently than on the face, and it is also very slimming.

While the skin is warm and soft from the bath, rub muscle oil into the back. If you find it difficult to apply soak a piece of old linen in the oil and apply to the back like a poultice. Leave this on as long as possible.

For Evening Functions.

When dressing to go out in the evening use a powder foundation on the back if it has had a good creaming or oiling the night before. You can apply the cream by means of a rubber cup on a stick which is made for this purpose, like the back puff. Lotion or astringent can be applied by means of large pads of the cheaper kind of cotton wool.

Rub the powder in well and finish off with a perfectly clean puff to avoid powdering the dress.

Backs, as well as faces, need their regular beauty treatments and make-up.

FIG MOULD.

Cut a pound of figs into small pieces, and put into a saucepan with four ounces of sugar, a pint of water, and the grated rind and juice of a lemon. Simmer together until the figs are tender. Add an ounce of gelatine, and, when this is absolutely dissolved, pour the mixture into a wetted mould. Turn out when set, and garnish with whipped cream.

TO-DAY'S RECIPES.

Chocolate Nut Fingers.

Take ½lb. sugar, 2oz. ground almonds, vanilla or almond flavouring, 1 dessert-spoon cocoa, 1oz. ground rice, 1oz. almonds, apricot jam. Line the bottom of a small baking-tin with some flaky pastry. Blanch, skin and chop the almonds, then mix the cocoa, sugar, ground rice and almonds together, whisk the white of an egg to a stiff paste and add to the prepared ingredients; if necessary, a very little cold water may be added.

Spread a thin layer of jam over the pastry, cover with the mixture and spread evenly. Brush the surface over with water, sprinkle the chopped almonds on the top and bake in a hot oven 15 to 20 minutes. When cold, cut into fingers.

Steamed Honey Pudding.

Line a moderate-sized basin with a good suet crust (thin), put 1 scant tablespoon of honey into it, then a thin layer of paste; repeat until within an inch of the basin rim. Tie down and steam for 3 hours. This is delicious served with cream.

Wheatmeal and Honey Biscuits.

One large cup self-raising flour, 2 large cups wholemeal, milk, 1 scant cup butter. Beat 1 egg and add to it ½cup honey and the sifted flour and whole-meal with butter rubbed in. Mix well and stir in enough milk to make a stiff paste. Turn on to a floured board, roll out ¼inch thick and stamp into rounds. Bake in a moderate oven till pale brown.

NEW IDEAS IN BATHING CAPS

Some of the 1932 bathing caps are made in the form of a beret—a type of cap primarily intended for sports wear.

They are fashioned from rubber embossed in a close design that stimulates a knitting weave. They are available in the usual bright colours.

Another type of cap is just like a wig in effect. Made of rubber, it fits close to the head and "waves" from a side parting down over the ears. The colours are varying shades of brown and black.

FOR THE BEACH.

Bag and Cushion Combined.

One yard of bright coloured cretonne, and an old rubber apron can be used to make a combined beach bag and cushion.

Cut a piece of material, 28 ins. by 13 ins., for the main part of the bag; two pieces, 12 ins. by 13 ins., for a pocket, and a cushion; and a smaller piece for a second pocket.

Take a piece of the rubber apron that measures 27 ins. by 12 ins.

Make a narrow double turning to the wrong side of the cretonne. Slip the raw edges of the rubber under the folded edges, and sew together, using a very slack stitch on the machine. (Turn the shabby part of the apron inside, of course.) Next, sew the smaller pocket piece in position on a larger one.

Cut another piece of rubber, 11 ins. by 13 ins. You may have to join this with solution to get it all out of one apron. Make turnings on the cretonne piece, slip the rubber into place, and lay in position at one end of the bag.

Machine along two sides and the bottom. This rubber lined pocket will hold bathing costumes, and the smaller pocket will be used for sewing or writing materials.

Now make single turnings on the other piece of material. Lay this on the other end of the bag, and machine along three sides. Stuff the space with any soft material, then stitch up the fourth side. This forms the cushion, and is thoroughly damp-proof.

Fold and stitch two pieces of material 12 ins. long by 4 ins. wide, and out one at each end of the bag to form the handles. Then open out the bag to its fullest extent, and across the middle of the inside sew a four inch strip of cretonne to make the loop for the beach sunshade.

LEATHER AND BEAD BELTS.

Beads and leather are combined in some of the newest belts, which have a gay and colourful appearance. The beads, which are of two or three colours, are attached in diagonal lines of a similar colour to a narrow strip of leather, and they fasten in the ordinary way, with a buckle, or with a tassel at each end, also carried out in beads.

SLIMMING YOUR FACE.

By Joan Beringer.

So much attention is paid to wrinkles and sagging face muscles that the other side of the picture—the too-fat face—gets less consideration. But many women want to know how they can reduce the contours of the face by just a fraction, without getting that haggard look which rigid dieting is apt to produce.

It can be done professionally by hot paraffin wax—the same treatment that is given for general reduction of the body.

But there are quite a number of methods which can be tried out at home. Brisk, upward slapping of the face with a reducing lotion, or, if the skin is dry, a non-fattening cream followed by an application of witch hazel, is one of the simplest. But give the skin time to cool down before going out; it is helpful to cover the face with a thin layer of cotton wool and splash with cold water after the treatment.

Another way of face-slimming is to pinch the face with the same light touch as you use when rubbing butter into flour during cake-making. And there is a reducing soap which should be damped and then worked into the fat portion of face and neck.

For The Chin.

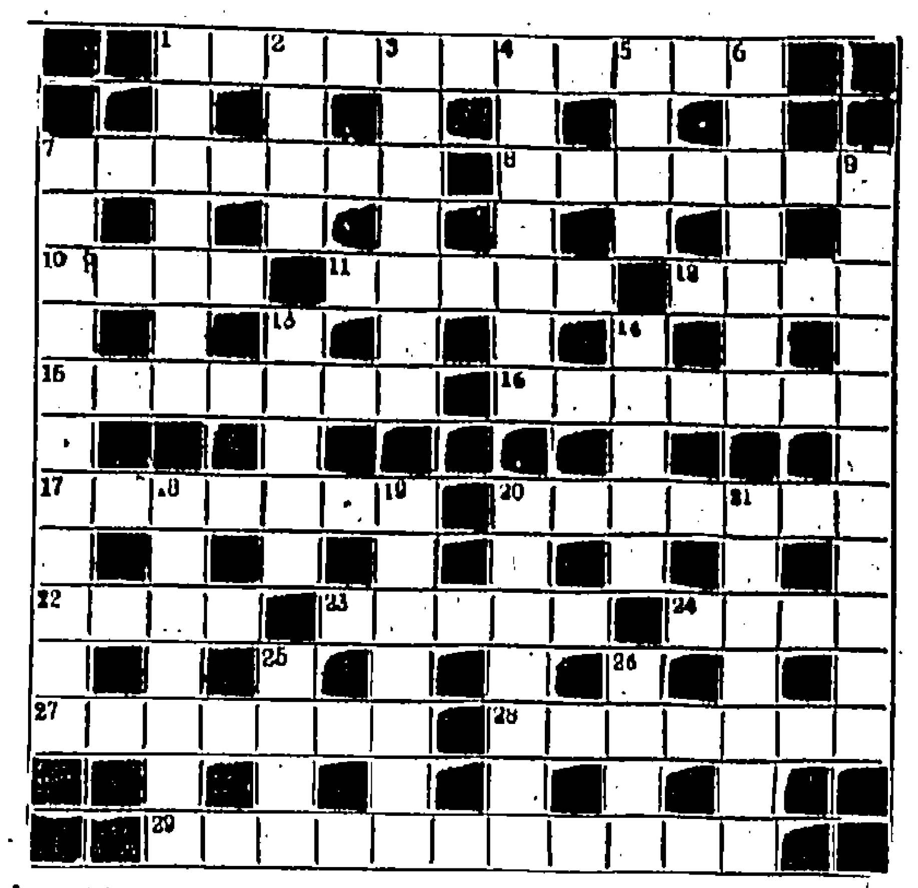
Many women imagine that they have a fat face because the muscles have dropped and the face has become full round the lower part of the cheeks and the chin. Firm massage of certain muscles is necessary to remedy this.

The most important muscle line in this connexion begins at the top of the head, stretches across the temple and down to the cheeks. This requires constant strengthening to keep it taut and hold up the cheeks and chin line. There are four important massage movements which must be carried out daily. The first is from eyebrow up to the hair; the second from the outer end of the eyebrow to above the ear; the third from nose to ear, and the fourth from mouth to lobe of ear.

In each case press the fingers gently into the flesh, and move in an upward direction in small circles over the lines described.

Always use a massage cream when doing this exercise.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



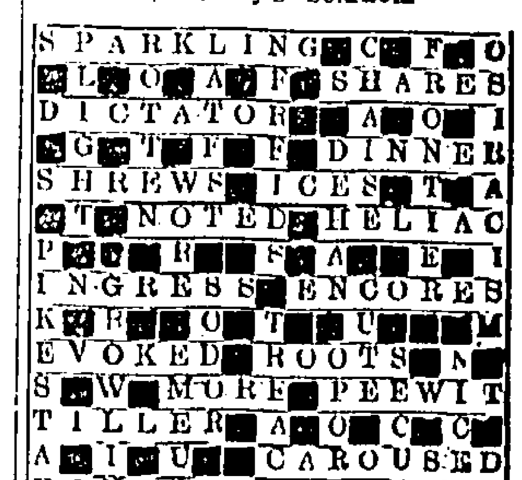
Across

1 Obviously tight.
7 Possibly Turkish transports.
8 A bad character.
10 A musician may keep it, yet kill it.
11 He's a lad at heart—this "lad" of a former age.
12 A fallen monarch.
15 Slum that is more than half a castle.
16 "Rio tots" the Florence restaurants produce (anag.).
17 Cow.
20 The sort of depression that ends with the lips.
22 Where to find pals.
23 "Tooth'd briers, sharp—s, pricking goss, and thorns" ("The Tempest").
24 Final phase of collapse.
27 Indulged in 7 Across.
28 Proceeds about Noah's choice.
29 Because "Man dreams it," is it but a Geneva dream?

Down

1 Place where you'd scarcely expect to find a cool mob.
2 Almost night.
3 To agree entirely.
4 Red Ivan, as Siberia regarded him.
5 Whether a medical man should has been much discussed.
6 Good hard try for a possible coterie of the past.
7 Get worse.
9 Wind up.
13 Not much use unless depressed.
14 In this practice, you have to give way in the middle.
18 Sovereign apparently involving interpretation.
19 Where to find Chimborazo.
20 Dance.
21 Stamp that seems to confess to being a cheap fabric.
25 An inflammatory finish that seems to reassure the questioner.
26 Eighteenth Century painter.

Yesterday's Solution.



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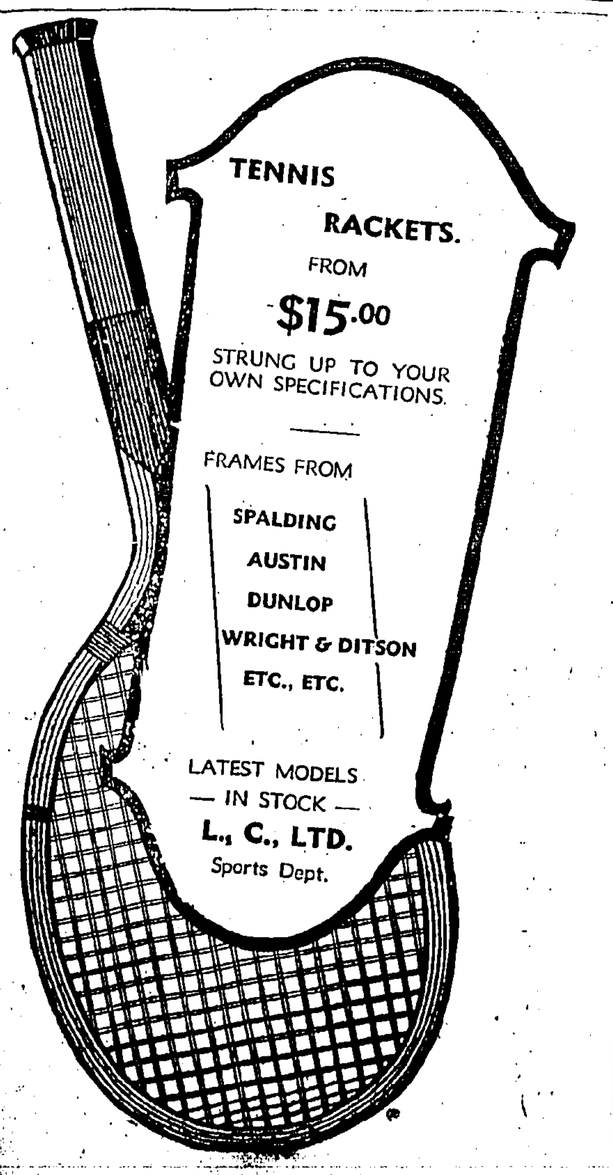

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

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The Hongkong Telegraph.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 11, 1932.

OTTAWA PROBLEMS

Whilst there is every hope that arrangements will be concluded at Ottawa which should materially increase inter-Imperial trade, the logic of economics is apparently modifying the expectations of those who had hoped for miracles. In other words, it is becoming evident that whilst it is easy to talk loosely of Imperial economic unity, it is much more difficult to translate the idea into actuality. Snags are already being encountered, and although there is no cause for pessimism, it would be the height of folly to expect the impossible to happen or to shut our eyes to what is well described as the hard reality of facts. One thing, however, is certain, namely, that if substantial agreement cannot now be reached, at a moment when Britain is no longer on a Free Trade basis and when the British delegation is untrammelled by traditional policies, then we can never expect the Empire Free Trade movement to become a reality. This fact is now doubtless realised by the Dominions and the Mother Country alike and it will at least cause every effort to be made to achieve as large a measure of accord as is possible.

One circumstance which has probably not received the consideration which it should have done is that the position as between the Mother Country and the Dominions has immensely changed since the days when Mr. Joseph Chamberlain brought forward his idea of Imperial Preference. In those days, the Dominions were very largely producers of foodstuffs and raw materials, and of very little else. In the interim, many of them have become relatively highly industrialised, millions of pounds sterling having been sunk in innumerable enterprises. Naturally, therefore, there would not be too much enthusiasm for the free importation of competing British manufactures. On the other hand, Britain obviously cannot afford to raise prohibitive tariff walls against foreign commodities and at the same time expect foreign countries to buy her goods. A Canadian commentator, writing on the Ottawa Conference outlook recently remarked that the Canadian Conservatives appeared to combine a fervid passion for increased Imperial trade with an uncanny skill in avoiding mention of the commodities which are to be bought from Britain in increased quantities, while English industrialists who have been visiting Canada have been careful not to offend the suspectibilities of Canadian manufacturers; this they have done by urging only the free admission of those classes of British goods not at present made in Canada. Here we have reflected one aspect of the problem of more extended inter-Imperial trade.

All sensible Britons, of course, wish to encourage trade between different parts of the Empire. But that should not rule out the idea of stimulating trade with and between foreign countries as well. Imperial economic co-operation must be developed in ways which are not exclusive. This can be done in numerous ways. But it would not be to the benefit of the Empire to attempt to shut it off in a watertight compartment from the rest of the world. That would be bad economics. More than that, an exclusive economic imperialism would be just as harmful as an exclusive economic nationalism can be and is. Despite the difficulties which are being encountered at Ottawa, however, we believe that this great gathering of Imperial statesmen cal still accomplish much of value, even if the dreams of the more ardent spirits are not fully realised. But it is essential that nothing shall be done by shortsighted policies which will prove really harmful to the true interests of the Motherland or the Dominions.

These Conferences.

Practically the whole of this year has been taken up with international conferences, all purporting to solve the world's difficulties by united action. What is the outcome of them all? Must it be confessed that the ideals of League of Nations enthusiasts are all day-dreams and impracticable? Even in critical times like these, there are vested interests who are so near-sighted and prejudiced as to desire to wreck all movements tending to promote international peace. Internationalism is challenged at every point. Yet it is still too early to declare bluntly that International Conferences have no good result and certainly it is folly to deduce from the slow progress that is being made that the ideals of the League of Nations are impracticable. There is no other medium which could be substituted which would enable the opinions of all nations, great and small, to be collected and reconciled into one formula. It would be a confession of futility to admit that nations will never be at peace with one another; that nothing can be done to prevent the recurrence of war. In that case our present civilisation is doomed and all progress the last thousand years have seen has been in vain. There is no question of military or religious domination in the minds of world state advocates to-day. Modern science has made nations inter-dependent; the risk of war is probably greater; but it has also enabled nations to come to a better understanding of each other's points of view. At least, the League has given permanent machinery to tackle international problems in a scientific and methodical manner. There has been more open diplomacy and less secret intrigue than there was in prewar days and more candid international discussions. This is all to the good and we certainly have to thank League of Nations for this advance in international relations.

DAY BY DAY

EVERYONE IS USEFUL TO SOMEBODY, FOR HE ALSO SERVES WHO ONLY STANDS AND WAITS.

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Knocked down by a private motor car driven by Mr. Fung Wo-iu, in Queen's Road West yesterday, Tang Tak-sang, aged eight years, sustained injuries to his head.

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Whilst cutting pork at his stall in the Saiyingpun market, a foki accidentally cut his left wrist and had to be taken to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment.

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Due to the fusing of an electric wire at 63, Haiphong Road shortly after midnight, a small fire broke out on the first floor, but the outbreak was extinguished without any damage being caused.

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Miss Marjorie Mason, a teacher of the Diocesan Girls' School, has reported to the police that some time between 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. yesterday some person entered her room at the school and stole a travelling clock.

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The residence of Mr. S. K. Loo, of 300, Boundary Street, was entered by some person between midnight and 8.30 a.m. yesterday when $42.55 in money, a gold pocket watch, a gold pencil and a piece of green jade were stolen.

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A charity performance of Raja Harishchandra (a play in Hindustani) is to take place at the Po Hing Theatre on Saturday at 8.30 p.m. Proceeds of sale of tickets are to be devoted to the Child Welfare Centre, Indian Troops.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Ormiston left yesterday aboard the s.s. Menelaus on an extended holiday. They expect to be in the United Kingdom for approximately three months, and to return to Hongkong via the Panama Canal, New Zealand and Australia.

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Cheung Tim-fa, aged 15, of 75 Hennessy Road, was knocked down by a Star taxi in Connaught Road Central yesterday when riding a bicycle. He sustained injuries to his right knee and was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment.

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Scalp wounds were received by a woman named Cheng Chuen, aged 37, of 1B Queen Victoria Street, yesterday, when she was knocked down by a public motor car in Connaught Road Central. She was taken to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment.

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On receipt of complaints from Messrs. Thomas Cook & Son, three Chinese who were found gambling in the lane running from Chater Road to Connaught Road, were arrested by the police and on the appearance of two of the men before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court this morning, fines of $3 each were imposed. The third man had his bail of $5 estreated.

WATER LEVELS.

WEST NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The following table issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission shows the height of water in English feet on the dates named in the West, North and East Rivers:

	Highest on record.	Lowest on record.	Aug. 9	Aug 10
West River at Shiuhing ..	+41.7	0	34.7	34.7
North River at Shiuhing ..	+41.7	0	11.6	11.1
North River at Samshui ..	+27.3	—5.3	22.6	22.3
East River at Sheklung .	+15.5	—2.5	9.8	9.3

"How's the emergency case in 4087?"
"Much better, except he's rather upset that his accident didn't get a bigger notice in the papers."

ROBERT LYND suggests that

HOLIDAY MAKERS SHOULD BE CERTIFIED

I REGRET to see that the French Government has withdrawn the decree calling on all foreign visitors remaining more than two months to produce certificates of character.

When I first read of the decree, I rejoiced in it as a step towards a better civilisation, in which the Governments of the world would be more interested in the moral character of a visitor than in the colour of his eyes.

If such a decree were generally enforced it would undoubtedly make for better international relationships. If only the best kind of Englishman and Englishwoman were allowed to land in France, what a high opinion the French would have of the English! No longer would they be shocked by the spectacle of middle-aged Anglo-Saxon wastrels flinging away fortunes at the Monte Carlo tables, or of young English-speaking idlers desecrating the morning in the cocktail bars on the Nice front.

I do not see why, if it is important for a country to send only its best cricketers to Australia, it should not be equally important to send only its best tourists to France and the other countries of Europe.

Many people, no doubt, would resent the necessity of carrying certificates of character about with them. This, to my mind, is absurd. A good man has much less reason to feel ashamed of his character than of his passport photograph.

Earning a Day in the Country.

I should like to see the carrying of certificates of character made compulsory, indeed, not only for foreign but for home travel. No man should be given a ticket at a railway station for a trip to the country until he had produced a certificate, signed by a clergyman, undertaking that he would not throw sandwich-papers about the countryside and that he would not pick more wild flowers than he could carry home in his two arms. Again, policemen might be stationed along the roads approaching beauty-spots to compel motorists to produce certificates declaring that they are not the sort of persons who believe that a deposit of empty bottles, cardboard cake-boxes, and gooseberry skins improves the look of the countryside.

Can one imagine anything more likely to raise the average of good conduct in the public than the bestowal of special privileges on everybody who can produce good-conduct certificates and the stern refusal of these privileges to all who are unable to do so? Children are or used to be, given good conduct prizes at school, but in later life a saint is often no better rewarded than a rascal. The rascal with money is admitted to the same seaside hotels as the saint with money; he is as enthusiastically welcomed at the best restaurants; even in the allotment of the stalls at a theatrical first night no priority is given to the good man over the bad.

Now, if a good-conduct certificate were made essential as a passport to the pleasures of life, would not this influence the conduct of the rising generation more than even the best preaching? Let a schoolboy know that only by a prolonged course of good conduct can he hope to be allowed to buy a ticket for a Test Match, and you will hear no more complaints of ragging at Eton. And during the great match at Lord's you will see such an array of shining faces that the very batsmen will be dazzled by the radiance

If none but the virtuous were permitted to attend the Cup Final at Wembley, and the Rugby Internationals at Twickenham, it is my belief that an immense change would come over the spirit of young England. The nineteenth century believed in whipping the young into good behaviour. The twentieth century will show its superior wisdom by gently enticing them into good behaviour.

Some of those who object to the system of good-conduct certificates do so on the ground that every man should be regarded as a well-behaved person till he is proved to be otherwise. But, if a man has to produce a doctor's certificate in order to be admitted into the Civil Service, what logical objection can there be to his having to produce a clergyman's certificate before he is admitted into Clacton or Margate?

We do not feel insulted when an insurance company asks us whether our habits are temperate. Why, then, should we be offended if the Mayor of Brighton insists upon getting an answer to the same question?

I admit that the certificate system would be by no means easy to put into practice. The idea of what constitutes good conduct varies from place to place. What seems good conduct at Torquay might cause grave offence on the Riviera, and conduct that passed for good at Oban might be frowned on by the Lido.

Certificates for Cash.

At the same time, if we agree on the general principle, we shall find some means of making it work. And by the time it has been working for even a year we shall no longer have to put up with the spectacle, so humiliating to a lover of human nature, of that odious and distrustful notice, "No cheques cashed," staring at us in so many South Coast hotels. Such notices will be superfluous in an age in which a man will be able to produce his certificate of character along with his chequebook.

I believe that, in such circumstances, certificates of character would be so much sought after that a good man would be able to sell his certificates for quite a large sum.

ONE WHO FOUND BEER

(By "Edward Kelly," Imbiber).

Beer!

What, we have often wondered, was it like?

There must be something about beer, we have argued, or why would strong, silent men weep over it, or lean on each others shoulders, and sing, and sing, and sing.

We have passed the adolescent stage, but last week we felt reckless. We decided we would sow a couple of wild oats; we would see what beer was like.

In the course of our experiment we met two Australians. They said they would show us what beer was like.

The Australians said that, first of all, we would have to drink some Resch's.

Resch's, theysh shaid, was goodsh, Oshtralian beersh.

Show we hash two botlesh of Resh.

We inveshed ourshelves wish enthusiashm andsh mor beersh.

Then we hadsh 'nurrer.

Ostralians goodsh fellers. Good old Oshtralia. 'Mericans can'sh drinksh beersh. Probishun. Poor oldsh 'Mericans.

Onesh 'America wash as wetsh ash Pashific. Now it'sh dry ash Ashphalt.

We hadsh 'norr bers . . .
Goodsh olex 8o Strxlaa.
Goodresh olsf hsyentkofnd.
Goo . . . . HIC.

SUGAR MARKET

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following cable at the close of the sugar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Pentreath and Co.

London Terminals

December 1932 6/6¾ down ½d.
March 1933 6/8½ down ¾d.
May 1933 6/10½ down ½d.
August 1933 7/1½ up ¾d.
Buyers at above prices Sellers asking ¼d-½d more.

New York Terminals.

September 1932 1.10 up 3 pts.
December 1932 1.15 up 2 pts.
March 1933 1.08 down 1 pt.
May 1933 1.13 no change.
July 1933 — —
Cuban 96° Spot New York 1.15 up 5 pts.

LINCOLNS COMING TO HONGKONG

WILL RELIEVE THE ARGYLLS

NOW IN SHANGHAI

Hongkong is to lose the 2nd. Batt. of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders. They are to be relieved by the 1st. Batt. of the Lincolnshire Regiment, from Shanghai, and the Argylls will make the Northern port their new station.

The Lincolns, originally the 10th Foot, were in Shanghai during the Sino-Japanese disturbances this year, having gone there from Gibralter.

Their officer commanding is Col. E. J. de C. Boys, M.C., who has a brilliant war record.

The Lincolnshire's badge is the Sphinx; superscribed with the word "Egypt". The Regiment has a long and honourable active service record, and took part in numerous engagements during the Great War both on the Western Front and at Gallipoli. The regiment added fame to its history through the prominent part it took in the smashing of the "Hindenberg Line".

Whilst in Shanghai, the Lincolnshires have made themselves extremely popular. They have a splendid sports record and have already indicated their intention to take part in league soccer in Hongkong this winter.

The battalion is expected to arrive early in October and will take over Shamshuipo camp when the Argylls leave a few days later.

PRINCES' VISIT TO FLEET

GREECE PREPARING WELCOME

London, Aug. 10.

The Prince of Wales and Prince George will leave London on Thursday on their visit to the Mediterranean Fleet. They will fly to Paris, taking train there for Venice, where they will arrive on Friday afternoon and spend the night.

On Saturday, they will proceed to Corfu in a flying boat and will probably alight near the flagship Queen Elizabeth, in which they will be quartered.

An Athens message says the Greek Minister of Marine will proceed in the destroyer Leon to Corfu to greet the Princes in the name of the Greek Government. He will present them, as momentoes of their visit, with replicas of two ancient great gold cups.—*British Wireless.*

YOUTH WITH A CATAPULT

DANGEROUS SPORT FOR TOWN

A young Chinese was prosecuted by Sub-Inspector Russell before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court this morning for shooting at birds with a catapult, near Government House yesterday.

According to the prosecuting officer, the defendant was seen by an Indian constable firing at a pigeon on a tree. He was facing Garden Road and thus endangered traffic. If a stone from the catapult went through the wind-screen of a motor car, a lot of damage might easily have been caused.

Remarking that if he wanted to use a catapult he should go into the country, as serious damage might be caused in town, his Worship imposed a fine of $10.

RIDER MAIN ABOLITION

FURTHER CHINESE PROTESTS

The Government intention to abolish the rider main system is being widely criticised by various sections of the Chinese community. Many letters of protest from individuals and Chinese associations have appeared in the Chinese Press during the past few days.

This morning the Chinese Chamber of Commerce was in receipt of another petition, signed by numerous Chinese firms and individuals, which was subsequently handed to the unofficial Chinese members of the Legislative Council. The petitioners believe that the abolition plan will cause much hardship to those who live in tenement houses.

AMAH CREATES TROUBLE

LADY CALLS IN THE POLICE

Mrs. P. F. Le Fevre, living at "On Lee" House, Mount Davis Road, charged Kam Yuet-sin, 43, a Shanghai woman who was formerly in her employ as an amah, with remaining in or making use of her servants' quarters. The case, in which Sergt. Kinnear appeared for the police, came before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court to-day.

Sergt. Kinnear stated that the woman was employed by Mrs. Le Fevre until two years ago, when, on the termination of her employment, she was sent back to Shanghai.

About three weeks ago, Mrs Le Fevre sent for her, in an endeavour to find employment for her. When the woman came back, she was allowed by Mrs. Le Fevre to stay in the servants' quarters up till the end of the year, by which time, it was anticipated, she would be able to find employment.

TICKET BOUGHT.

However, about the second week of her return, the woman commenced to give trouble, quarrelled and interfered with the houseboys, and in other respects made herself extremely objectionable. It was then that Mrs. Le Fevre asked her to return to Shanghai, and with that end in view, she booked a passage and purchased a ticket.

This did not appear to fit in with the woman's plans, for she dilly-dallied, and in the end asked that she be given the money for the passage ticket instead. When the time came for her to leave, she refused to go and caused trouble.

As Mrs. Le Fevre was living alone in the house, her husband being away, she was frightened, and telephoned for the police. This occurred last Monday. The amah was ordered from the house, and went to live with friends at Kennedy Town.

REFUSED TO BUDGE.

Yesterday, she returned to the house, installed herself in the servants' quarters and refused to budge. Again the police were sent for, to compel her to leave.

Members of the Shanghai community working at the Commercial Press at Kennedy Town, said Sergt. Kinnear, would not have anything to do with her.

In answer to the charge, defendant gave as the reason for her return to the house, her desire to recover a debt of $100 which she alleged was owed her by one of the houseboys.

The man in question, emphatically denying the debt, declared that it was the other way about. The woman, he told the Court, had borrowed $15 from him.

The Magistrate pointed out that it was not for his Court to attend to these money matters. His Worship suggested an adjournment of twenty-four hours for the question to be settled.

It was stated that Mrs. Le Fevre's offer of a passage back to Shanghai for the woman was still open. His Worship agreed that this was a solution of the problem of what to do with the woman. He proposed to bind her over.

Defendant was remanded.

PIRATES FIRE ON SMUGGLERS

FOKI INJURED WHILE IN WATER

A piratical attack in Chinese waters on what is believed to have been a boat engaged in smuggling goods into Chinese territory has been reported to the police by a foki of the victimised craft from which the crew of three jumped into the water directly the pirates threatened to secure them in the hold.

A craft of about ten piculs, the fishing boat had a cargo of sugar, salt, and fish maw, the total value being approximately $300, when she left Yaumati for the Heung Shan District on August 3, believed to have been attempting to smuggle the salt into Chinese territory.

On nearing Lan Tau early yesterday morning, a fishing boat with one mast went alongside. Four men, one of whom was armed with a rifle and another with a revolver, boarded the smugglers' craft. The pirates at once disclosed their intention of securing the crew of the pirated boat, but the master and his two fokis immediately jumped into the water.

The man with the revolver fired six shots at the three figures in the water, one of the fokis being injured in the leg. For approximately three quarters of an hour the men were in the water, being later rescued by a cargo junk which arrived on the scene. The pirates were then about half a mile away and two shots from the cargo junk were fired but without effect.

The crew of three were brought back to Hongkong and the wounded foki, Chung Kam-chong, aged 19, was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment.

PIRATES RALLY BUT FAIL AGAIN

Chicago Nearer Without Playing

New York, Aug. 10.

Pittsburgh broke their long run of non-success at Boston to-day, but the revival was short, the second game of their double header resulting in further defeat, and Chicago, disengaged, are now only .003 behind them.

Schulmerich and Berger hit home runs to give Boston their victory in the second game when Pittsburgh seemed well set. O'Doul (twice), Taylor, Frederick and Wilson hit home runs for Brooklyn, who took a double-header from Cincinnati. Other circuit clouters were Chuck Klein, Rhiel (Detroit), Schulte (St. Louis Browns). Results:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston	2	10	0
Pittsburgh	5	10	1
Boston	3	4	1
Pittsburgh	2	9	1
Brooklyn	6	10	1
Cincinnati	1	6	3
Brooklyn	10	15	2
Cincinnati	9	15	4
Philadelphia	5	14	1
St. Louis	11	16	0

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago	3	9	0
Philadelphia	6	12	2
Detroit	6	10	0
Boston	2	3	0
St. Louis	6	10	1
New York	7	17	0

League standings follow:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburgh	60	49	.550
Chicago	58	48	.547
Boston	58	53	.523
Brooklyn	57	54	.514
Philadelphia	56	57	.496
St. Louis	53	56	.486
New York	50	56	.471
Cincinnati	48	66	.417

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York	75	35	.682
Philadelphia	66	44	.600
Cleveland	64	45	.587
Washington	61	49	.554
Detroit	57	49	.538
St. Louis	48	60	.444
Chicago	36	69	.343
Boston	26	82	.241

—*Reuter.*

SEWING MACHINE DISPUTE

INTERESTING CASE IN CANTON

Canton, Aug. 10.

A rather unusual case was heard in the Chinese Court yesterday, when the Honwan Trading Co. sued a Chinese dealer.

The dealer who ordered some sewing machines from the Honwan Trading Co., originally sued the firm for compensation on the machines, stating that they were not according to the sample chosen by him in their office. The Honwan Co. contended that the new machines, being the latest models, were an improvement on the old sample, and brought a counter-claim against the dealer for not taking delivery of the goods on due date.

A sewing machine which had been given to the Honwan Trading Co., for repair also played a large part in the proceedings, since this machine was given to the same dealer to be ovehauled. After many months had passed, the lady owner asked for her machine to be returned to her, but the dealer refused to deliver same, claiming that this machine was the original sample shown to him in the office of the Honwan Co. when giving his order.

The Honwan Trading Co. yesterday agreed that since the defendant thought he was entitled to compensation they would allow him H.K.$1,000, but only on condition that he took delivery and paid for the machines within 24 hours.

The Judge seemed to favour this method as a quick settlement, and adjourned the final hearing until Saturday, when both parties will be called upon to sign their concurrence in this arrangement.—*Our own Correspondent.*

JAPAN INDICTED

AMERICAN DISCLOSURE OF LYTTON REPORT

London, Aug. 10.

The *Daily Express* to-day publishes a despatch from its Washington correspondent who declares that the Lytton report indicts Japan for deliberately precipitating the Manchurian war.

He understands that Mr. Stimson's speech defending the Kellogg Pact was timed prior to the publication of the Lytton report, in order to give American opinion time to solidify in defence of the pact.

In a leading article, the *Herald* says there will be a faction at Geneva, whose main purpose will be to keep the field clear for Japan. It observes that in the spring the small powers made a gallant fight against this faction.—*Reuter.*

BOWLS CHAMPIONSHIP.

REMAINING 4TH ROUND TIES FIXED

The two remaining games in the fourth round of the Open singles bowls championship have now been fixed, the winners of which enter the semi-final.

On Monday, August 15, at the Club de Recreio, J. G. Ozorio meets L. A. Guterriez, the winner to play A. H. Oswick.

On Tuesday. August 16, R.F. Luz plays A.W. Grimmitt, the winner meeting Nish.

Wins For Grimmit And Guterres.

A. W. Grimmitt, the Civil Service bowler, scored an easy win over W. Russell, of Taikoo, at the Club de Recreio yesterday when they met in the open singles championship. The score in favour of Grimmitt was 21-4.

On the same ground, L. A. Guterres beat his club mate, J. J. Basto 21 to 15.

Taikoo Club Teams.

On Saturday, the Taikoo Club's 1st. team v. the Kowloon Bowling Green Club (away) will be:

J. Chapman, A. Staiker, G. McLeod, D. Munro (Skip), J. Polson, D. Bone, J. Russell, J. Chalmers, (Skip), J. Watson, W. Weir, R. Keown, W. Wotherspoon (Skip).

2nd. team, v. Kowloon Bowling Green Club (home):

W. Brown, T. Currie, G. Stewart, J. Sloan (Skip), E. Greenwood, J. Wald, D. Peoples, H. McKechnie (Skip), T. Swan, C. Summers, A. MacIndoe, S. Hope (Skip).

Games to start at 3.30 p.m. Launch will leave Dockyard at 2.30 p.m.

Bowling Green Teams.

The following teams have been selected to represent the Kowloon Bowling Green Club in their league matches on Saturday:

1st team v. Taikoo at the Kowloon Bowling Green:

A. W. E. Davidson, R. Duncan, R. Hall, A. M. Holland (Skip), C. S. Beat, H. F. Stoneham, H. Nish, W. Russell (Skip), G. N. Mitchell, A. K. Taylor, E. W. L. Hogbin, D. Gow (Skip).

2nd team v. Taikoo at Taikoo:

C. L. Farmer, J. S. Logan, W. E. Hale, W. S. Drake (Skip), F. V. Whitta, V. Labrum, J. G. Meyer, F. L. Rapley (Skip), C. Hatt, T. Hard, W. Venables, V. Petherick (Skip).

Recreio Teams.

The following teams will represent the Club de Recreio in their matches on Saturday:

1st team v. Craigengower (home):—L. A. G. Gutierrez, F. V. Ribeiro, A. S. Gomes, C. E. Marques (skip); J. M. M. Alves, R. R. Robarts, L. C. R. Souza, R. F. Luz (skip); F. X. M. Silva, C. A. Lopes, E. M. Remedios, C. G. Silva (skip).

2nd team v. Craigengower (away):—M. A. Carvalho, D. S. Alves, J. G. Ozorio, A. H. Basto (skip); P. Xavier, J. M. S. Rosario, J. J. Basto, Dr. R. A. C. Basto (skip); F. A. Prata, B. Basto, A. E. S. Alves, C. H. Basto (skip).

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

A.O.F.C. QUOTATIONS FOR YESTERDAY

New York, Aug. 10.

Dow-Jones Averages:	Aug. 9	Aug. 10
30 Industrials	67.08	69.39
20 Rails	26.77	28.62
20 Utilities	28.25	29.29

Messrs. E. A. Pierce & Co. report:—The market is strong. Business done:—4,400,000 shares.

	Last Price	To-day's Price
Air Reduction	51¼	$53
Allied Chemical & Dye	77⅛	80½
American Can	51⅝	54⅞
American Telegraph & Telephone	110½	114¾
American Tobacco "B"	79⅜	78¼ *
Auburn	73	76¼
Borden Company	30⅝	31⅝
Canadian Pacific	12¾	13¼
Consolidated Gas of New York	54⅛	56⅞
Drugs, Inc.	41	41⅝
Du Pont de Nemours	38½	40
Eastman Kodak	61½	53 †
General Electric	18¾	18⅞
General Foods	27¾	28⅞
General Motors	15	15¾
International Harvester	26½	31
International Tel. & Tel.	9⅛	9½
Liggett & Myers "B"	56¼	56
Loew's Inc.	26½	28
Pacific Gas & Electric	27¼	28
Pennsylvania Railway	15⅝	16⅛
Radio Corporation	7⅜	7⅞
Sears Roebuck	21⅝	23⅝
Standard Oil Company of N. J.	35¼	35¾
Socony-Vacuum Corp.	11¼	11⅝
Union Carbide & Carbon	25¼	25¼
Union Pacific	65	68⅛
United Aircraft & Trans.	13⅝	14⅞
United States Steel	40⅛	42⅞
Westinghouse E. & M.	34	35

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6-8 p.m. A programme of Columbia records.

6-6.13 p.m. Hawaiian Music.

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6.13-6.53 p.m. A Concert.

Violin Solo—Mazurka Zarzycki)
Violin Solo—Romanza Andaluza (Sarasate)
Bronislaw Huberman L2332.
Song—I'll Always be True (Connelly-Benatzky)
Song—The Song is Done (Connelly-Stolz)
Marine Burke (Soprano) DB629.
Piano Solo—Minuetto from Suite (Suk)
Piano Solo—Berceuse (Chopin)
Ignaz Friedman L2260.
Song—Les Millions D'Arlequin (Sangwin-Drigo)
Song—Vienna, City of my Dreams (Lockton-Sieczynski)
Charles Kullman (Tenor) DB841.
'Cello Solo—Shenandoah (Thiman)
'Cello Solo—The Meistersingers—Prize Song (Wagner, arr. Squire)
W. H. Squire L2186.

7 p.m. (Stock Quotations, etc.)

6.53-7.23 p.m. Orchestral.

Dance of the Flowers (Delibes)
Lucerne Kursaal Orchestra LX30.
On the Steppes of Central Asia (Borodine)
Orchestra de la Societe des Concerts du Conservatoire, Paris L2219.
Leonore Overture No. 1 (Beethoven)
Willem Mengelberg & His Concertgebouw Orchestra LX160.
Song—An Ev'ning in Caroline
Marion Harris (Comedienne) DB822.
Band—Day by Day
Geraldo & His Accordion Band DB823.
Descriptive Sketch—It Isn't Cricket
Clapham and Dwyer DB845.
Banjo Solo—Rhapsody in Blue
Eddie Peabody DB812.
Vocal Duet—The Turning of the Tide
Layton and Johnstone DB827.
Accordion Duet—O Sole Mio
The Destifano Brothers DB135.
Humorous Duet—Oi!
Flanagan and Allen DB816.
Song—Spring is Here Again
Marion Harris (Comedienne) DB851.
Vocal Duet—My Mum
Chick Endor & Charlie Farrell DB867.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.3-9.30 p.m. Chinese Programme.

9.30-10 p.m.

A relay of the band of the 1st Battn. South Wales Borderers, conducted by Bandmaster Gecks, from the Officer's Mess, Murray Barracks, by courtesy of the Officer Commanding.

10 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10-11.30 p.m. Chinese Programme.

11.30 p.m. Close.

All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. Anderson Music Co.

KZRM PROGRAMME.

To-day's broadcast from the Manila station:
6.45 p.m. Health Period—Dr. Rebecca Parish.
6.15 p.m. Spanish information period
6.30 p.m. English information period.
7.00 p.m. Rockne Program.
7.15 p.m. Dialect Program (Bicolano).
7.30 p.m. Puyat Products Party.
7.45 p.m. Studio Music.
8.00 p.m. L. R. Aguinaldo Program.
8.30 p.m. Apo Cement Sponsorship.
Apo String Quartet.
8.45 p.m. World Events by R. A. Smith.
9.00 p.m. Dance Music—Dollar Steamship Pres. McKinley Orchestra.
10.30 p.m. Close Down.

EXCHANGE RATES

	Previous Day.	Yesterday.
Paris	88⅝	89
Geneva	17.81½	19.29/32
Berlin	14.19/32	14.62½
Helsingfors	232½	232½
Oslo	19.31/32	19.31/32
Athens	530	530
Buenos Aires	Nom.	Nom.
Shanghai	—	1/9⅛
New York	3.47¼	3.48¾
Amsterdam	6.62½	8.66
Vienna	29	29
Madrid	42⅝	43.5/16
Bucharest	585	585
Hongkong	1/3.25/32	1/4
Brussels	25.1//32	25.12½
Milan	67⅞	68¼
Prague	117¼	117¼
Stockholm	19.45	19.50
Copenhagen	18.67½	18.23/32
Lisbon	110	110
Rio	5.3/16	5.3/16
Bombay	1/6.3/32	1/6.3/32
Yokohama	1/6¼	1/6
Montevideo	30	30
Montreal	3.98	4.01
Belgrade	212½	215
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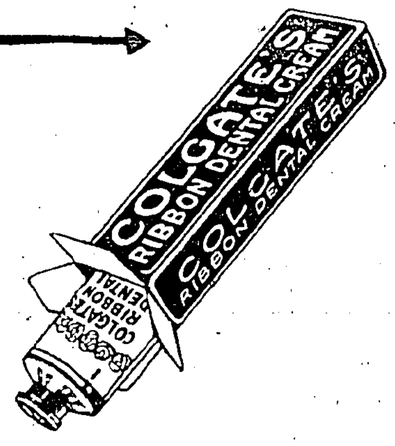

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LEAGUE TENNIS

S. CHINA FLATTERED

K.C.C. UNLUCKY TO LOSE SO HEAVILY

If ever a score of 8—1 flattered a team it was in the league tennis match between the Kowloon Cricket Club and South China in the "B" Division yesterday, which the latter won.

Two of the sets went to twelve games and three others to ten, and in three instances the K.C.C., were leading, one at 5—1 and another at 4—2. Slightly superior team work turned the tide in favour of the visitors, but they scarcely deserved to win by such a pronounced margin.

Dunn and Kengelbacker were the best K.C.C. pair, winning the one and only set and taking the other two to ten games each.

Luk Ding-cheong and S.W. Wong played clever tennis in winning their three sets, but they were given a fright in the final round, leading Dunn and Kengelbacker 4—love, 5—1, and then being taken to 6—4. Scores:—

P. Dunn and F. Kengelbacker (K.C.C.) beat K.H. Chan and C.C. Luk 5—7; lost to D.C. Luk and S.W. Wong 4—6; lost to W.T. Lee and S. Chan 4—6.

L. Jack and G. Lee (K.C.C.) lost to Chan and Luk 1—6; lost to Luk and Wong 2—6; lost to Lee and Chan 5—7.

D.S. Green and C. Kengelbacker (K.C.C.) lost to Chan and Luk 2—6; lost to Luk and Wong 4—6; lost to Lee and Chan 3—6.

K. C. C. v RECREIO.

The Recreio completed their programme in the "C" Division when they met and defeated the Kowloon Cricket Club on their own courts yesterday. As a result they once again enjoy the runners-up position, unless, of course, the Chinese Recreation Club make a slip in their remaining matches, in which case the Recreio would still be given a chance of capturing the championship. Scores:—

J. J. Remedios and J. Gonsalves (Recreio) lost to Smith and Mackay 4-6; lost to Capell and White 1-6; beat Gregory and Lubeseder 6-4.

C. A. Barretto and H. A. Noronha (Recreio) beat Smith and Mackay 6-4; beat Capell and White 6-4; beat Gregory and Lubeseder 6-1.

L. A. da Rocha and G. A. Noronha (Recreio) beat Smith and Mackay 6-2; beat Capell and White 6-3; beat Gregory and Lebeseder 6-0.

OTHER LFAGUE TENNIS ON PAGE 9

UNPOPULAR VERDICT

AMAZING SCENES AFTER "NO CONTEST" DECISION

Truly amazing happenings occurred when the announcement of "No contest" was made after a fight between Al Brown, the coloured bantamweight champion of the world, and the Frenchman, Kid Francis, at a charity affair at Marseilles.

Dr. James Sparkes, Commander in France of the American Legion, who acted as one of the judges, was badly mauled by a number of spectators who thought he was in favour of Brown.

The Italian referee, Lomazi, at first awarded the decision to Kid Francis, but the French judge, Chubennes, decided in favour of Brown. The referee's decision was greeted by uproarious scenes, during which some spectators at the ringside had rather indiscretly looked over the shoulder of Dr. Sparkes, the other judge, and thinking that the card showed in favour of Brown, they promptly "jumped" on him and snatched the offending missile. A general rugby scrum ensued, during which the scrap of paper was lost, and Dr. Sparkes appeared to emerge in a worse condition than either of the two boxers. With the referee and one judge disagreeing as to the result there was nothing more for the referee to do than to alter his decision to "no contest." This he did half an hour after his original announcement in favour of Kid Francis.

Kid Francis lodged a formal protest against the re-considered verdict, and the whole matter has been reported to the French Boxing Foderation.

The proceeds of the match were given to the wives and children of three Marseilles policemen who were recently killed on duty.

TRIUMPH OF MARY HEELEY

MADAME MATHIEU BEATEN

Paris, July 15.

There was some spirited play by England's lawn tennis women at Le Touquet yesterday when the two days' match against France was commenced.

Miss Mary Heeley, of Birmingham furnished a sensation by beating Mme. Mathieu. France's No. 1 player, by the score of 6—1, 0—6, 6—3.

The British women, by winning three of the singles and the two doubles matches, led by five wins to one at the end of the day.

Mme. Mathieu announced her intention of sweeping her youthful opponent off the court in record time. She hit with tremendous speed—sending over a 50 per cent. faster ball than at Wimbledon—and when she found those hard-hit balls sent back and back regularly, Mme. Mathieu, in desperation, tried to hit lumps of chalk from the lines. In a word, playing against Miss Heeley was like playing against a brick wall.

The English girl revealed a stern spirit. She must have run at least ten miles to and fro across the court. Both players avoided the net; they knew their limitations. But in those heroic bouts of baseline duelling Miss Heeley achieved her greatest triumph on the court.

Miss Heeley was again on the winning side of the net against Mme. Mathieu when she and Miss Freda James soundly beat Mme. Mathieu and Mlle. Rosambert by 6—4, 6—0 in the last match of the day.

Playing in her first international match at the age of 18, Miss Stammers, the English prodigy, put up a splendid fight against Mlle. Rosambert, one of France's strongest singles players. The French girl won at 6—3 5—7, 6—3. Other results were:

Singles.—Mrs. Fearnley-Whittingstall (Great Britain) beat Mlle. Adamoff (France), 6—2, 6—2; Miss Dorothy Round (Great Britain) beat Mme. Henrotin (France), 6—1, 6—3.

Doubles.—Mrs. Fearnley-Whittingstall and Miss Round (Great Britain) beat Mme. Henrotin and Mlle. Barbier (France), 6—3, 6—1.

Derby Winner in £200 Race

TRAINING EVENT FOR ST. LEGER

April the Fifth, who won the Derby this year, has been entered for the St. Helens Stakes, to be run at Haydock Park to-day.

The distance of the race is a mile and a half, and the value to the winner is under £200.

April The Fifth.

For some reason very few book engagements were made for April the Fifth in his younger days, and he had not a single liability to to fill between the Derby, on June 1, and the St. Leger, on September 7. Thus his trainer was faced by the necessity of finding an event in which to run the horse between the dates of the two classics.

POLICE NOT TO ENTER SOCCER LEAGUE

Important Decision Made Yesterday

The Police Recreation Club have decided not to participate in the Hongkong Football League this winter.

This decision was reached at an extraordinary general meeting of members yesterday, when a motion, that the club enter a team in the first Division of the League was defeated by 16 votes to 12.

Animated discussion followed the announcement of the Chairman, Inspector Booker, as to the cause of the meeting, in the course of which the opinion was expressed that it was impossible to enter the league owing to the difficulty of arranging for leave for the players.

On the other hand the argument was advanced that the club should continue its association with local competitive football if only for the enjoyment to be derived from the game.

GOLF COURSE RECORD SHATTERED

BY COTTON & COMPSTION

Royal Porthcawl course record of 68 was shattered last month when the second round of the "Penfold-Porthcawl" tournament was played under perfect conditions, after the previous day's rain. First A. M. Chevalier and A. G. Havers equalled the old figures of 68, and then Archie Compston, eleven strokes behind the leader after one round, gave a dazzling display to lower the record by two strokes. His aggregate of 145, however, still left him eight strokes behind Havers, whose two rounds aggregate was 137. Then Henry Cotton, giving a faultless display of putting, equalled Compston's new record, went two strokes ahead of Havers, and left Compston ten shots behind.

Compston had given a wonderful exhibition of approaching, the first eleven holes being taken in 36 strokes—eight threes and three fours. At the third his iron shot from the rough, following a bad drive, was within a yard of the pin, the putt being holed for a "bridie" three. He hit a brassie shot to within four feet of the pin at the fifth, where he secured an "eagle" three, nearly holed his chip, after being over the green, at the short seventh; a ten yards putt three at the eighth was followed by another chip shot, which placed the ball close to the pin at the ninth, for another three.

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Coming home for the first time he found a bunker, this was at the twelfth, and he took five, his ball stopping dead, where it pitched, just short of the green. After bunkering his drive at the fourteenth he missed a chance of holing a putt for a three, and was not on any of the next three greens in two, yet pitched up dead, and took no more than four. His figures were:

Out:	4, 4, 3, 3, 3, 4, 3, 3, 3	—30
Home:	3, 3, 5, 5, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4	—36
Total		66

Chevalier had returned 73 so that he was well placed. He never once exceeded bogey at a hole, and saved six strokes on bogey during the last ten holes.

Havers had five "birdies" in the first eight holes, a 4ft. putt giving him the seventh in two. A tendency to hook his long shots developed. This cost him five at the ninth, and though he was three under fours for the next six holes—missing from four feet for a two at the fourteenth, his ball resting in the pitch mark from a previous shot—he hooked at each of the last three holes, and had two fives and a four.

Then came Cotton's remarkable round to equal Compston's record and give him a two strokes lead of the field from Havers. Cotton's figures were:

Out:	3, 4, 3, 2, 4, 4, 3, 4, 3	—30
Home:	5, 3, 5, 4, 3, 4, 4, 5, 3	—36
Total		66

On six of the first nine greens Cotton holed his first putt, including one of five yards for a two at the fourth, and another of eight yards for a three at the ninth. He missed from six inches at the twelfth, taking three putts, but quickly recovered his brilliant putting touch to finish well.

Other good rounds were 69 for a total of 146 by A. Perry (Leatherhead); 69 for 144 by Percy Alliss (Beaconsfield); 70 for 144 by T. Collinge (Swinton Park); and 70 for 144 by A. J. Lacey (Selsdon Park).

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An interesting function took place at the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club, when a presentation was made to Mr. Harold Browett, a very old and respected member of the club. Mr. W. J. Ward, the Vice President, made the presentation, which consisted of a copy of the "Shanghai Album," autographed by all the members of the club, and a silver rose-bowl.

Mr. Ward said that Mr. Browett was one of the founders of the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club, and he had remained with them all through the years in various capacities. In 1926 he was President. It would seem strange indeed to go to the club and not see the familiar figure of Mr. Browett, and who amongst them had not enjoyed his delicious sandwiches, provided so generously week after week. Mr. Browett could be assured they all fully appreciated what he had consistently done for them and they would let the wording on the "Shanghai Album" speak for itself.

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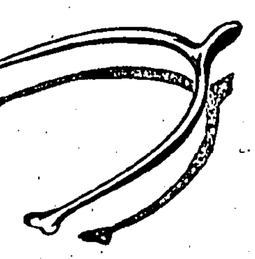

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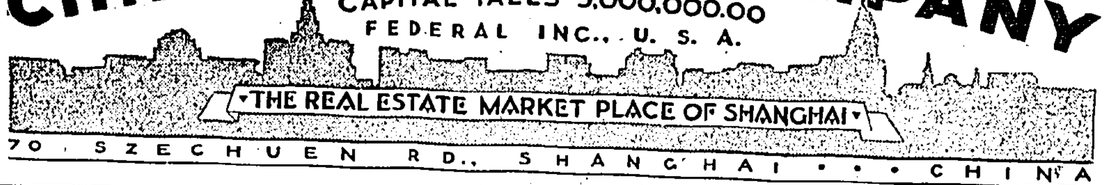

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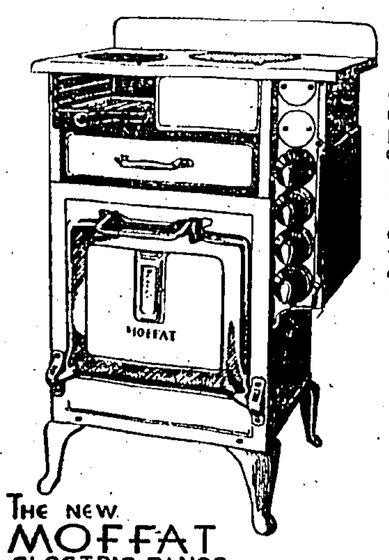

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Scores:

M. K. Lo and M. W. Lo (C.R.C.) lost to Sewell and Sullivan, 4-6; beat Hazell and Williams, 6-3; beat Grimble and Wild, 6-4.

Ho Ka-lau and Yew Man-kit (C.R.C.) beat Sewell and Sullivan, 6-3; lost to Hazell and Williams, 3-6; beat Grimble and Wild, 6-1.

Iu Tak-cheuk and Tsui Wai-pui (C.R.C.) drew with Sewell and Sullivan, 6-6; beat Hazell and Williams, 6-3; beat Grimble and Wild, 6-3.

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F. Matthews and W. J. Mitchell (A.T.C.) lost to Madar and Bux, 4-6; lost to Abbas and Rumjahn, 2-6; beat Sufflad and Rumjahn, 6-3.

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Chinese R.C. v Graduates.

The Chinese R.C. playing at home, defeated the Graduates Association seven sets to two.

Scores:

M. K. Lau and L. F. Hon (C.R.C.) beat Dr. Yeo and W. M. Gittins, 6-4; drew with H. N. Chung and F. Zimmern, 6-6; beat Dr. Samy and T. K. Tan, 6-3.

S. W. Leung and H. S. Kwok (C.R.C.) beat Dr. Yeo and Gittins, 6-3; beat Chung and Zimmern, 6-2; beat Dr. Samy and Tan, 6-2.

M. C. Lau and F. K. Lau (C.R.C.) drew with Dr. Yeo and Gittins, 6-6; lost to Chung and Zimmern, 5-7; beat Dr. Samy and Tan, 6-3.

Craigengower v Kowloon Indians.

The Craigengower C.C. entertained the Kowloon Indians at Happy Valley and won five and a half sets to three and a half.

Scores:

A. Kitchell and F. Broadbridge (C.C.C.) lost to Firdos Khan and M. A. Khan, 2-6; drew with Feroz Ali and M. Mahan Singh, 6-6; beat S. R. Salleh and J. Mahan Singh, 6-3.

E. Howard and T. Lock (C.C.C.) lost to Firdos Khan and M. A. Khan, 4-6; beat Feroz Ali and Mahan Singh, 6-1; lost to Salleh and Mahan Singh, 4-6.

W. Reed and R. Lee (C.C.C.) beat Firdos Khan and M. A. Khan, 6-1; beat Feroz Ali and Mahan Singh, 6-4; beat Salleh and Mahan Singh, 6-2.

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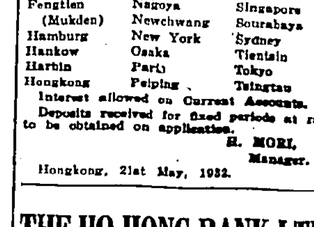

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MURDER TRIAL ARGUMENT

MR. POTTER OBJECTS TO EVIDENCE

TWO PLOTS

A crucial stage in the trial of Cheng Kwok-yau on a charge of procuring the murder of George Fung was reached yesterday, when Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., leading counsel for the defence, objected to admission of the evidence of Zimmern and Christie, two of the Crown's principal witnesses, on the ground of its irrelevancy.

Immediately on the Court's resumption after the tiffin adjournment, Mr. Potter took the point that the evidence of Zimmern and Christie was irrelevant to the present case.

The Chief Justice: I ought to have some note of the evidence proposed to be called to which you are objecting.

Mr. Potter: You have the depositions and a copy of the opening address of Mr. Lindsell. I have a case here where a judge satisfied himself from the depositions alone.

Continuing, Mr. Potter said the defence's objection to the admissibility of evidence taken broadly, came to this—on a certain date Zimmern and Christie were requested by the accused to murder Fung.

The murder was actually committed by different people at a different time and under an entirely different set of circumstances.

Mr. Potter went on to refer to an objection he had taken earlier to the admission of evidence that the accused once threatened to shoot Lai Ming-fay.

The Chief Justice: I did not strike that evidence out then. The point has not been argued and I can still strike it out.

Mr. Potter: But it was sworn to by the girl and the jury heard it.

The Chief Justice: I have not admitted this point. I can instruct the jury to take no notice of it.

Mr. Potter: Well, we can leave it at that.

Mr. Sheldon: If there is any doubt about it, your Lordship can strike it out now. It is not a matter of any importance.

Counsel's Retort.

Mr. Potter: Well then for the life of me, I can't understand the Crown's case. I don't think Mr. Sheldon should say that. The other day the Attorney General gave a ground for the question and pressed for its admission after I had objected. It was not even suggested then that the question was of no importance. This is most remarkable.

Mr. Sheldon: Can't we leave these personal matters out?

Mr. Potter: I am entitled to criticise the Crown case in any way I like and I will. Here we have one learned counsel pressing for the admission of a piece of evidence over my objection, and now his colleague gets up and says it is of no importance.

The Chief Justice: I think the answer was given before the objection was taken. After the objection Mr. Sheldon said he would not press for its admission if there was any doubt.

Mr. Potter: He says that today, but the other counsel took a different view yesterday.

Different Circumstances.

Proceeding, Mr. Potter said, "Broadly speaking, on March 21st, it is alleged Zimmern and Christie were requested to murder Fung. You will note these important facts. The parties were entirely different; there is no connexion in fact between the alleged incident from February 18th. to 21st. and the incident which is the subject matter of the indictment.

"The indictment alleges that the accused through Lau Hing did counsel, procure and command Tsui and Wong to commit the murder."

Mr. Potter then commenced to quote many authorities and read cases to prove his contention that evidence of a plot to kill Fung by poison could not be accepted as evidence that he too was at the back of a plot to shoot Fung.

Alternative Argument.

Alternatively, he argued, if the Crown could establish the case as alleged in the indictment, which was that the accused had procured the murder through Lau Hing, there was no necessity to put in the evidence of Zimmern and Christie to prove deliberate intent.

"If the Crown cannot establish by evidence that the accused through Lau Hing procured people to commit the murder," added Mr. Potter, "then this evidence is equally inadmissible in that it is not evidence to prove that the accused procured Fung's death through Lau, according to the indictment."

Mr. Potter laid great stress on the argument that evidence of an act committed once cannot be taken as evidence that a similar later act was committed by the same person.

"There is no authority," he added, "to show that feelings of enmity alone can be taken as sufficient proof of murder."

Defence Not Afraid.

Mr. Potter remarked that for the reasons given in the authorities quoted the evidence was not admissible. Mr. Potter suggested the evidence might be admitted by his Lordship and the defence would accept it subject to further objection later.

The defence was not afraid of the evidence at all, but they had to take the point because it was a vital one and no Counsel would take the responsibility of not objecting.

Mr. Sheldon said that he ventured to submit that this was the first time it was argued in the Courts in Hongkong that if "A" threatened to murder "B" it showed his guilty intent to murder "B," but if that intent were communicated to a third party it was not admissible as evidence of guilty intent.

Mr. Sheldon proceeded to quote authorities to show that the Crown could give evidence of enmity of the accused against the deceased. It was admissible as evidence of motive, as evidence of means and opportunity, that accused had made preparations to murder Fung and that he had threatened to do the act, he having asked Zimmern on one occasion for a dagger because he wanted to murder Fung.

"Formidable Evidence."

The evidence which it was sought to adduce was evidence of a very formidable nature, and it showed hatred, jealousy and intention to kill the dead man, and if it were proved that the dead man was in fact murdered, it was not only evidence of *mens rea* but evidence that he actually did the act.

Mr. Sheldon quoted what he described as a remarkable case in which a policeman was killed and depositions given by the policeman in a previous case against the prisoner were admitted to show malice.

His Lordship said that proof of enmity plus proof of death would not be sufficient to convict. Evidence of great enmity plus partial identification plus the discovery on the scene of a revolver traced to prisoner, would connect him with the crime, but in the present case before the Court there was something in between. They had enmity plus an agent connected in an innocent way with the accused who, in fact, engineered the crime. Were these two things enough? If they were not enough in law would it be safe to allow the evidence of enmity to go before a jury? If the evidence were not sufficient to prove the crime it might be that the jury should be told that it was not relevant.

An Adjournment.

In reply Mr. Potter remarked that if there was evidence that Lau was the agent of the accused and that he (Lau) had procured Tsui to fire the shot the case for the Crown would be complete.

His Lordship remarked that the Crown might not have the evidence or it was very slight.

Mr. Potter replied that if there was no evidence or that it was slight he could not see how the evidence under argument would prove that Lau was the agent of the accused.

His Lordship reserved his decision.

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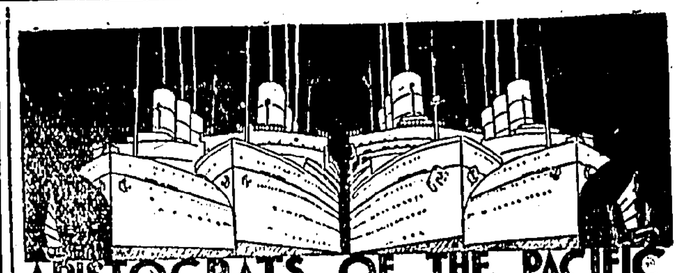

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BITTER FIGHTING IN HEART OF MADRID

Madrid, Aug. 10.

The first serious attempt to bring ex-King Alfonso back to the Spanish throne, broke out in the early hours of this morning when bitter fighting took place in the heart of the city.

Police and Government troops quelled the uprising, but not before four had been killed and many arrested.

The monarchist revolt which was supported by a brigade of artillery broke out at 5 a.m. It is stated that so far four have been killed and 80 arrests made.

The Government appear to be masters of the situation.

The rebels attacked the Police Headquarters and Government buildings, but the Police repulsed them after an exchange of hundreds of shots and drove out the attackers, some of whom were entrenched in the Ministry of Communications.

Nobility Arrested.

Those arrested include retired generals and members of the nobility.

The capital resembles an armed camp as all strategic centres are occupied by troops which the Government hastily summoned.

Communications abroad have been temporarily interrupted but have now resumed.

It is feared that repercussions may take place in the provinces.

Warrants were issued this morning for the arrest of ex-King Alfonso and a British contractor, allegedly named Solms, and several Spanish ex-officials.

Aid from Cavalry.

A regiment of cavalry stationed 20 miles from the capital joined the insurgents, whose movements were well planned by a group of Monarchist army officers and civilians, although the Government claims complete success.

The police obtained full information of the revolt after the arrest last night of eight Monarchists, who were conspiring in a private house.

Thousands of demonstrators, carrying Republican flags, paraded later in the day in front of the Military Club, protesting against the rebel casualties which in addition to the four killed include 12 injured.

Police Chief in Action.

The chief of the Madrid police armed with a rifle, led the Government forces, comprising armed Police and Civil Guards, while the Premier, Senor Azana sat quietly at the Ministry of War, directing operations. One storming party, consisting of 60 armed men led by the former chauffeur of Primo de Rivera and a son of Duke Infantado, surrendered without resistance.—*Reuter.*

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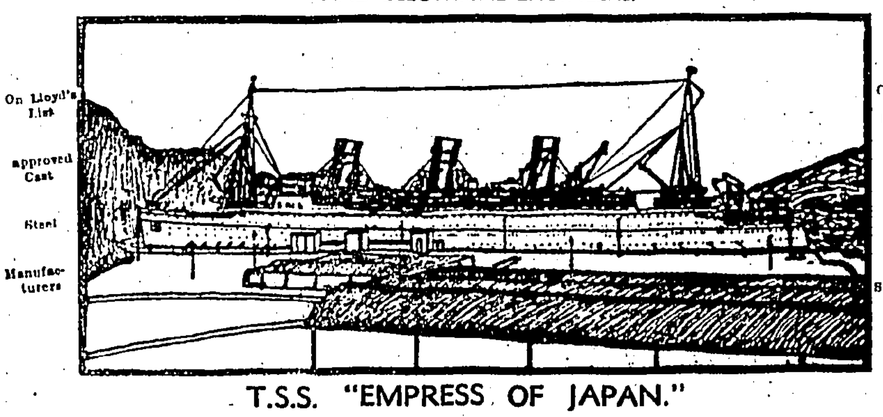

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RESOLUTION INCREASES DIRECTORS' FEES

AMENDMENT FAILS.

A meeting of shareholders of the Hongkong Engineering and Construction Company was held yesterday afternoon at 3 p.m. The Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga was in the chair, the other directors present being Mr. J. Scott Harston, Mr. Lo Cheung-shiu and Mr. L. Kadoorie.

Others present were Mr. A. R. F. Raven, general works manager, Mr. B. Alves, secretary, Mr. R. A. Wadeson, of Messrs. Deacons, (solicitors) and the following shareholders. —Messrs. H. Braga, K. Stuart-Smith, J. Gould, S. J. M. Figueiredo, C. P. Marques, M. H. Lo, M. K. Lo, J. V. Braga, A. M. Braga, F. L. Silva and Chan Kam-moon.

The Chairman, addressing the meeting, said:

The Resolution which I have to put before you for consideration and approval reads as follows:

That the Articles of Association of the Company be altered in manner following:

(a) By the deletion of the whole of Article 98 of the Company's Articles of Association and by the substitution of the following Article in its place.

98. From and after the first day of January, 1932, each Director other than the Managing Director shall be paid by way of remuneration for his services at the rate of $2,000 per annum and such remuneration shall be deemed to accrue de die in diem and shall be payable by half yearly instalments.

Development Scheme.

By the Company's Articles of Association, the maximum number of Directors is eight. Actually, there are five Directors on the Board at present, including the Managing Director. The practical effect of the Resolution, if you see fit to adopt it, and if it should be confirmed at a subsequent meeting, will be the increase of the Company's expenditure in respect of Directors' fees (other than the Managing Director's remuneration), with a Board composed as it is at present, of $4,000 a year.

Since the Company's capital reorganisation two years ago, and your later adoption of their proposal to initiate a land and building development scheme, the duties and responsibilities of the Directors have been very largely increased. For some time past your Board has felt that a fee of a thousand dollars a year for each Director is altogether inadequate and they ask your authority, by virtue of the Resolution now submitted to you, to increase their fees to bring them more in accord with the extent of time and work devoted in your interests.

We think, it will be admitted, that the old scale of remuneration is not nearly enough when due regard is had to the altered condition of the Company's business. Having said as much as I have done, I feel I should add, on behalf of the Board, that the adoption of the Resolution will be left entirely in your hands, in the belief that the shareholders will concur in the sense of justification which has prompted your Board to move for the alteration in Article 98 providing for the payment of increased remuneration for the services of your Directors. I may add that the proposed increase has the approval of Sir Robert Ho Tung, who, though a Director, is also the Company's largest shareholder.

The Formal Motion.

I formally move the following Resolution: That the Articles of Association of the Company be altered in manner following:

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If shareholders have any comments to make thereon or any questions to put in relation thereto, I shall be pleased to reply to any remarks which any of you may feel inclined to address to the chair. If passed at this meeting, the Resolution will be submitted for confirmation at the meeting advertised to take place on Friday, the 26th August, 1932, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Mr. Choi Wing-hay seconded the resolution.

Amendment Moved.

Mr. Gould moved an amendment to Mr. Braga's resolution to the effect that from and after the 1st. day of January, 1933, each director other than the Managing Director shall be paid by way of remuneration for his services at the rate of $2,000 per annum, and such remuneration shall be deemed to accrue de die in diem and shall be payable by half yearly instalments.

In moving the amendment, Mr. Gould said that he would like to know whether it was the intention to increase the number of directors.

The Chairman said that for the present they had no intention of doing so, but he could not vouch for the future.

Mr. K. Stuart Smith seconded Mr. Gould's amendment.

Mr. Harston's Speech.

Mr. J. Scott Harston said:

I would like to say a few words with regard to the amendment which has just been proposed by Mr. Gould. When the subject matter of this amendment was first mentioned to me by Hon. Mr. Braga (the Company's Managing Director), we had a discussion upon it, and in deference to Mr. Braga's views, I agreed that if such amendment were pressed, I would refrain from voting against it, but I intimated to Mr. Braga, and I desired him to so inform Mr. Gould, that I trusted the amendment would not be proceeded with because, to my mind, if it were, the fact thereof would be regrettable, as the policy involved therein not only constituted an unwarranted reflection upon the Directors in putting forward their resolution for an increase of fees, but would not result in any appreciable saving to the shareholders.

As, however, Mr. Gould has insisted upon proceeding with the amendment, I desire to state that the request for a retrospective increase in the Directors' fees emanated from myself and received the concurrence of Sir Robert Ho Tung, who although also a Director of the Company, is its largest shareholder.

Not Excessive.

In putting forward my request, I did so in the knowledge that the increased remuneration asked for was in no way excessive in view of the large increase in the amount of work which has for some considerable time past been entailed upon the Directors by reason of the Company's new activities.

I have been concerned as a director of companies for nearly thirty years, and I think I can honestly claim that I have never received or sought to receive remuneration as a Director which the circumstances in connexion with my services did not fully warrant—indeed I can go further and say that, in the case of many companies, I have done far more work than I have been paid for.

Having voiced my views as above, I shall, pursuant to my arrangement with Hon. Mr. Braga, refrain from voting against the amendment, and I would add that in doing so, I am bearing in mind the fact that it was solely by reason of Mr. Braga's efforts that this Company was rescued from perdition.'

Resolution Carried.

Replying to Mr. Scott Harston, Mr. Gould said that he did not imply that the directors' fees were unwarranted, but as the Company was just getting on its feet, he thought that the action was rather premature.

Following some discussion, Mr. Braga said that he would like to bring three points to the notice of the meeting. The first was that in 1930 the Company wished to go into voluntary liquidation; the second was that when the Directors thought of a building scheme some of them offered to give personal security, and the third was the forfeiture of a substantial amount for under-writing fees in connexion with the new issues.

Mr. Gould said that he was not aware of this, and therefore wished to withdraw his amendment.

Mr. Braga's resolution was then put to the meeting and carried, and the meeting concluded.

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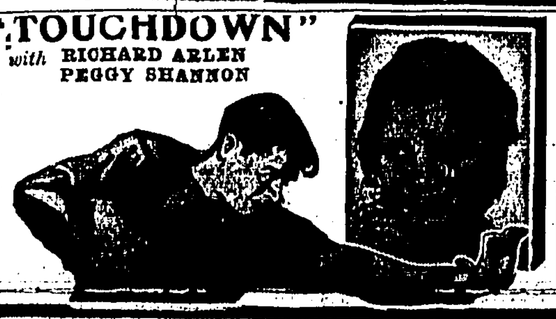

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TARIFF NONSENSE

Dr. Cyril Norwood, headmaster of Harrow, speaking at High Wood School, Mill Hill, said the bad conditions of the world to-day were due to the fact that nations had ceased to work together.

Their only idea was to keep other people's goods out of their countries and yet sell their own goods abroad.

They had now got to that ridiculous position of having too much in their own country and not being able to trade with other countries. At present the nations had not got as much sense as schoolboys, and had to learn all over again to work together.

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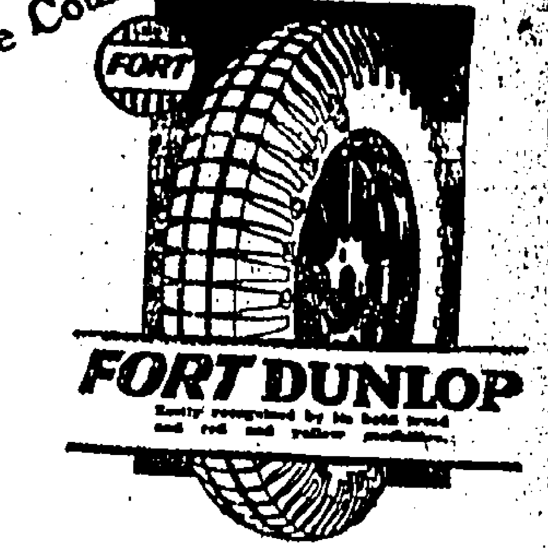

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WANG CHING-WEI MAY BE TAKEN AT HIS WORD

LYTTON FORECASTS ABSURD

REPORT IN MIDDLE STAGE

NO CONCLUSIONS YET REACHED

Peking, Aug. 11.

Professions of knowledge of the contents of the Report of the League's Manchuria Commission, emanating from Washington with the Commission still in Peking, were naturally viewed with suspicion.

In an interview with Reuter's representative this morning regarding the comments of the Washington correspondent of the *Daily Express*, declaring that the Commission indicts Japan, the spokesman of the Commission again made it perfectly clear that the correspondent must have drawn upon his or someone else's imagination.

ABSOLUTELY PREMATURE.

Any forecast concerning the Report, he said, must inevitably be absolutely premature as it has not been drawn up completely by any means.

"We are," he said, "in the middle of the descriptive part of the Report and no conclusions have yet been formulated.

In answer to further questions, the spokesman replied:

"The conclusions will not be tackled until the very last minute. We have not come to any definite conclusions yet."

The progress of the Report, he added, is well up to time.

LORD LYTTON AGAIN FEVERISH.

The Earl of Lytton, chairman of the Commission, is again suffering from slight fever, but the general state of his health remains satisfactory and it will only be necessary for him to relax work on the Report for a few days.—*Reuter.*

TARIFFS AND TRADE

THE DWINDLING OF EXPORTS

BRITISH FIGURES

London, Aug. 10.

The effects of tariffs on British trade are illuminatingly revealed in the official Board of Trade figures for July.

While imports have been considerably reduced, exports are also going steadily downhill, and the July exports were close to a new low record.

The official figures show that imports in July were valued at £51,921,000 as compared with £57,517,000 in June and £70,146,000 in July last year.

Exports were valued at £29,294,000 as compared with £29,723,000 in June and £34,252,000 in July last year.—*Reuter.*

OTTAWA TALKS CONTINUE

CABINET HOLDS A MEETING

London, Aug. 10.

At the Ottawa Conference today, the United Kingdom and Canadian experts, at a joint meeting, continued their analysis of the Canadian proposals.

A further meeting of the Canadian Cabinet was also held.—

SEVILLE REVOLT SPREADING

EXCITING SCENES IN MADRID

GOVERNMENT QUITE CONFIDENT

THE MONARCHIST RISING IN MADRID HAS BEEN SUPPRESSED BUT THE CHIEF OF THE CIVIL GUARD IN SEVILLE IS LEADING A REVOLT IN THE SOUTH WHICH APPEARS TO BE SPREADING THROUGH ANDALUSIA. IT IS REPORTED THAT HE HAS THE SUPPORT OF THE GARRISONS AT SEVILLE AND JEREZ.

It was officially announced in Madrid yesterday afternoon that the rising in Seville has been suppressed and that order had been restored in Jerez, but the announcement appears to have been distinctly premature. Troops are being rushed to the storm centre from several points.

SIXTY CASUALTIES IN MADRID

Madrid, Aug. 10.

Though the populace is now enthusiastically celebrating the quick suppression of the Monarchist rising in the capital, grave news has been received from Andalusia, in the "lazy South."

General San Jurgo, the Chief of the Seville Civil Guard, is the leader of the opposition to the Government in Seville. He has proclaimed himself Captain-General of Seville, with the support of the garrisons of Seville and Jerez.

Two regiments have been despatched from Madrid and troops are also reported to be preparing to proceed against Seville from Algeciras.

ENTIRE PROVINCE IN RISING.

Reuter's Gibraltar correspondent confirms the story of serious trouble in Andalusia, reporting persistent rumours that the rising in Seville is rapidly spreading through the entire province.

The Government appears to be sending troops from all quarters to suppress the rebels. A regiment is under orders to proceed to Cadiz from Algeciras forthwith.

DRASTIC MEASURES.

Later.

An emergency meeting of the Chamber passed a vote of confidence in the Government with acclamation following an address by Senor Azana, the Prime Minister, who stated that the Government is taking drastic steps to suppress the Seville rising, including the despatch of troops and economic measures.

It has now been revealed that the casualties in the brief battle of Madrid were eight killed and fifty wounded.

Those arrested following the outbreak include four generals and many youths.

NEWSPAPERS SUSPENDED.

... papers, including the famous *A.B.C.* and *El Debate*, have been suspended indefinitely.

Reports from the majority of the provincial towns are encouraging for the Government indicating as they do enthusiastic support for the Republic.

Airmen this evening flew over Seville dropping pamphlets denying the overthrow of the Government, with which report General San Jurjo astonished wireless listeners in Madrid this afternoon by broadcasting from Seville.

EXCITING SCENES.

The most exciting scenes since the Republic was proclaimed were witnessed in the streets of Madrid to-night. Thousands and thousands packed the square in front of the Ministry of the Interior, waving Republican flags and shouting: "San Jurgo must be killed."

When motor-coaches filled with armed police ploughed through the mob they were loudly cheered.

The immense crowds were harangued by a grey-bearded, red-capped veteran until the Minister of the Interior himself emerged from the Ministry and addressed the crowd, which then swarmed through the streets to the square in front of the former Royal Palace and waited for President Zamora to address them. —*Reuter.*

ALFONSO IN CENTRAL EUROPE

DECLINES TO MAKE A STATEMENT.

London, Aug. 10.

Ex-King Alfonso, who is at present holiday-making at Koenigswart in Czecho-Slovakia, first learned of the Monarchist rising in Spain by telephone from Reuter's, London. He declined to make any statement.—*Reuter.*

LATE NEWS.

FATE OF REVOLT IN DOUBT

COMMUNICATIONS CUT OFF

Madrid, Aug. 11.

The fate of the rebellion in Seville is still merely a matter of rumour owing to the strictness of Governmental control of communications.

As regards Madrid, where the Government proclaim their ability to consider the situation with complacency, it is reported that one of the five generals arrested has been tried and is to be shot at dawn.—*Reuter.*

The Royal Observatory reports that pressure is highest to the east of Hokkaido and relatively low over China. The typhoon is crossing Kiusiu ... northerly track.

Local forecast:—South winds,

The Spanish Republic is again engaged in suppressing a revolutionary outbreak. On left is the ex-King, on whose behalf the latest revolt was started, but apparently knew nothing about it. Other pictures give an impression of the suppressive measures.

KHARTOUM TRAGEDY

YOUNG BRIGADIER ELECTROCUTED

ATTEMPT TO SAVE GARDENER

("Telegraph" Special).

Khartoum, Aug. 10.

Brigadier Ernest Paul, son of the Assistant District Commissioner at Rufaa, was killed by electrocution to-day.

He met his death when heroically attempting to save a native prisoner from a similar fate.

Brigadier Paul was entering the club at Wadmedoni when he saw that the native who was trimming a tree had hooked an overhead electric wire with his pruning knife.

KILLED INSTANTLY.

Brigadier Paul realised that the man was in peril of his life and sprang to his assistance. He apparently succeeded in disengaging the gardener, but himself came into contact with the pruning knife and received the full shock of the current.

He was killed instantly.

His effort to save the gardener was also in vain. The man died later of the shock.—*Reuter.*

ATTEMPTED BANK FRAUD

YOUTH ADMITS HIS GUILT

A serious charge of attempting to defraud the Bank of China of $5,300 on a forged Internal Loan Bond of the Government of the Republic of China was brought against an unemployed youth Lui Wai-man, aged 24, before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court this morning.

The charge against the defendant was that on Tuesday last, at the Bank of China, with intent to defraud, he demanded or endeavoured to receive or obtain $5,300 by a forged certificate of 60 six per cent. Internal Loan Bonds of the Government of the Republic of China.

The defendant tendered a plea of guilty.

Detective Inspector John Murphy, who prosecuted, remarked that Mr. M. M. Watson had been instructed to prosecute.

The defendant was remanded until next Tuesday.

BRAZIL OUTLOOK

COMMUNICATIONS INTERRUPTED

London, Aug. 10.

The British Consul at Sao Paulo,

AMERICA'S POLICY OVER MANCHURIA

JAPANESE ENVOY PAYS SPECIAL CALL.

Washington, Aug. 10.

Mr. Debuchi, the Japanese Ambassador in Washington, called upon Mr. H. L. Stimson to-day and talked with him for over an hour.

It was immediately assumed that the Japanese Government were alarmed by Mr. Stimson's speech defining America's interpretation of the Pact of Paris.

Mr. Debuchi afterwards denied that he had been asking Mr. Stimson for an explanation of his speech, but admitted that they had discussed the general situation in Manchuria.—*Reuter.*

JEHOL CITY BOMBED

JAPANESE PLANE'S SALLY

OFFICIAL REPORT

Peking, Aug. 11.

According to an official telegram from Tang Yu-lin, the Governor of Jehol, a Japanese aeroplane flew over and bombed the Jehol border town of Kailu yesterday.

The plane which seemed to have passed over Tungliao which is occupied by Chinese "Volunteer" forces, suspected of having reached Manchuria through Jehol, on its way to the Jehol frontier, dropped three bombs and machine-gunned the streets, firing several volleys.

Fortunately, there was no loss of life and no damage to property. —*Reuter.*

HAMBURG POLICE ACTIVE

CRIMINAL QUARTER RAIDED

("Telegraph" Special).

Hamburg, Aug. 10.

The notorious and congested Gaenge quarter, which is a hotbed of Communists and the refuge of many criminals, was thoroughly and systematically searched by the police to-day.

As a result, numerous rifles, revolvers, knuckle-dusters, daggers, ammunition and seditious pamphlets were seized. A complete counterfeiting coin plant was also unearthed.

Over fifty arrests were made.—*Reuter.*

interrupted, following the recent trouble. The regular service of incoming air mails is, however, be-

SHARE GAMBLE CONTINUES

N.Y. STOCKS DOUBLE VALUE IN MONTH

DEALING FRENZY

Warnings of a possible havoc-wreaking reaction have failed to check the frenzied speculation on the New York Stock Exchange.

The "bulls" are keeping up the pressure and over four million shares changed hands yesterday, all stocks rising from one to seven points. Industrials were up 2.31 on the Dow Jones average.

The amazing change of atmosphere on the Exchange is best judged by a comparison of today's prices with those of a month ago. General Motors closed at 15 compared with 8 on July 10.

STARTLING INCREASES.

American Telephones are nearly 50 points up, International Harvesters are standing at 31 as against 10¾, Steels are at 42⅞ from 21¾, Union Pacifics at 68⅛ from 28, Chemicals at 80½ from 45, Du Ponts at 40 from 23, General Electrics at 18⅞ from 9½, International Telephones at 9½ from 4, Loews at 28 from 14¼, Pennsylvania Railways at 16⅛ from 7⅛, Radio Corporations at 7⅞ from 3⅞, Sears Roebuck at 23⅜ from 10¾, and Westinghouses at 35 from 16½.

Some of the shares have more than doubled in value, the most remarkable advances being in railway stocks, the average for which is now 28.62 as against 13.32 a month ago and 22 a week ago.

GOLF CHAMPION FAILS

UNABLE TO QUALIFY FOR P. G. A. TITLE

New York, Aug. 10.

Gene Sarazen, winner this year of the British Open and the American Open golf championships, failed to qualify for the Professional Golfers' Association's Championship.

The qualifying round was over thirty-six holes. Sarazen, return-

CHIANG AT KULING

INTERVIEW WITH LIN SEN

ISSUE IN DOUBT

RESIGNATIONS MAY BE ACCEPTED

(Telegraph Special.)

Shanghai, Aug. 11.

The impression is growing that Mr. Wang Ching-wei's resignation of the Premiership will be accepted, although the final outcome of the political crisis is still extremely doubtful.

It is learned from a reliable source this morning that Marshal Chiang Kai-shek left Hankow yesterday for Kuling, for a personal conference with Mr. Lin Sen, the President of the State Council, over the question of Mr. Wang Ching-wei's resignation.

It is also understood that Chiang Kai-shek has sent a long telegram to Mr. Wang Ching-wei assuring him that he (Chiang) will hold himself responsible for the Manchurian issue and that he would start his preparations after the extermination of the bandit menace in the Central China provinces.

URGED TO WITHDRAW.

Concluding the telegram is an appeal to Mr. Wang Ching-wei to withdraw his resignation in order that the country shall present a united front against external aggression.

Chow Keng-shen, the representative of Chiang Kai-shek, arrived in Shanghai this morning to present an important letter from Chiang to Wang Ching-wei.

"NOT IN."

Cheng Chun-ming, Chu Chia-hua and Chu Pei-teh also arrived in Shanghai from Nanking this morning, but up to the present none of the visitors has succeeded in locating Mr. Wang Ching-wei, who is seeking to avoid personal interviews.

Well-informed circles predict that the Government will eventually accept the resignation of Wang Ching-wei and also that of Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang.

It is intimated that either General Ho Ying-ching, Chiang's second-in-command and trusted lieutenant, or Chu Pei-teh will be placed in command in North China, with General Yu Hsueh-chung as Garrison Commander of Peking and Tientsin.

TSAI YUAN-PEI.

As to the candidate for the Presidency of the Executive Yuan, in the event of the acceptance of Wang Ching-wei's resignation, Dr. Tsai Yuan-pei has been mentioned as the most hopeful one.

A good deal will, of course, depend upon the result of the interview between Mr. Lin Sen and Chiang Kai-shek at Kuling.—*Reuter.*

DOLLAR AGAIN RISES

BUT MARKET VERY UNCERTAIN

The Hongkong dollar rose 1/8th this morning to 1s. 3.7/8d. This reflected an advance in silver prices, but the local market is very uncertain, though the undertone is steady.

In London, silver rose 1/6th. Speculators bought and sold, and there was small business. The market closed uncertain. After the official fixing, the market ruled firm on further support from America.

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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney.

The number of probable tricks in a hand should be sole measure of the opening "Game-Demand of Three." As probable tricks are derived from both high card tricks and low card tricks and, as low card tricks are derived from long suits, it follows that unequal distribution, represented by long suits, is the important factor governing the requirements for a "Game-Demand Bid of Three."

The essential principle that a sound "Game-Demand Bid of Three" must show are:

(a) Nine (9) probable tricks in the bidder's hand if the declaration is in a major suit.

(b) Ten (10) probable tricks in the bidder's hand if the declaration is in a minor suit, and with this further proviso—

(c) If the partner makes the obligatory minimum three no trump response, and the opening bidder elects to let the no trump stand, either from choice or by reason of no additional bid to offer, his hand must guarantee eight (8) tricks at no trump.

Hence, there are four stipulations in the "Game-Demand Bid of Three:"

(1) The original bidder must be able either to rebid the suit he first named (by this is meant the suit must be strong enough to make him practicall independent of trump support in the bid suit) or

(2) He must have a second suit in reserve to bid; or

(3) He must be able to support any suit take-out that his partner may make; or

(4) Failing any of the above three stipulations, he must be fortified against the frequent obligatory minimum response of three no trump, which the terms of the convention require of the partner in the absence of a raise or suit take-out.

Original suit bids of four and five are just the same in any system. They are pre-emptive bids and have the same requirements as in all other systems.

To make a "defensive suit bid of one" there must be a biddable five-card suit and a minimum of one and one-half high card tricks. If a four-card suit, two high card tricks should be held.

To make a "defensive suit bid of two," not vulnerable, there must be a fair five-card biddable suit and a minimum of two high-card tricks with four to five probable tricks in the hand. If vulnerable, the suit bid should be a strong suit, such as A-Q-J-8-6.

When one makes a "defensive suit bid of three" you are getting into the danger zone. With the "official system's" opening bid of two, the defending hand is placed in a most embarrassing position, particularly when the two bid happens to be a major. The cheap, defensive, strategical bid vanishes and the opponents must be very careful. When not vulnerable, about six (6) probable tricks are the safety minimum; when vulnerable seven (7) for the "defensive suit bid of three."

The "attacking overcalls" are made in five ways as follows:

1—Through the informative double.

The strength necessary is four (4) high card tricks, distributed in at least three suits (or a count of 15 points, using the 4-3-2-1 count).

2—By making a jump overcall; that is, by bidding one trick more than necessary to overcall the previous bid.

The minimum for this bid is three (3) high card tricks with six (6) to seven (7) probable tricks in the hand. This is not a "game-demand bid" but is strongly invitational.

3—By overcalls in the opponents' bid suit.

If your partner has bid, this is a "game-demand bid" and in fact it indicates slam possibilities. It shows general high card strength (at least four (4) high card tricks) and usually freakish distribution. It guarantees control of the first lead of the suit the opponents have bid and adequate support for the original bid suit and is one of the strongest of all bids. If your partner has not bid, at low stages of bidding it means that you have a strong biddable suit, that the opponents have probably been bluffing and that you are willing to play the suit. If made at higher stages it indicates a hand of tremendous strength and partner must respond.

4—By no trump overcalls.

This is an attacking bid and shows at least two stoppers in the opponents' suit and a no trump count of at least as much as an original no trump bid in a comparable position at the table.

5—By fourth-hand bids of any character over dealers uncontested original bid of less than game.

To make this bid the hand must show strong high card tricks distributed in two, preferably three, suits. The strength should be greater when overcalling a suit bid than when overcalling a no trump bid. The minimum requirements should show as much strength as an opening fourth-hand bid.

TAILOR DISCHARGED.

CALLED A LUCKY MAN BY MAGISTRATE

"I am afraid if I convict you, I would be right in facts but wrong in law," remarked Mr. Fraser at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon in discharging Cheung Wah, a Chinese ladies' tailor, who was charged with larceny of five $50 notes from the hand-bag of Miss Nelly Zamora, a visitor to Hongkong from the Philippines.

Inspector Elston, it will be recalled, alleged that the theft took place in Miss Zamora's room in the Peninsula Hotel on the morning of July 31. Defendant had been called by Miss Zamora to the hotel, and when he was in her room, she found five $50 bills missing from her hand-bag which she had left on a table.

Evidence for the prosecution concluded yesterday, after which Mr. Leo D'Almada, Sr., who represented the defendant, submitted that he had no case to answer at all. He could, if his Worship liked, put his client in the witness-box and leave him to any questions his Worship might ask, but contended that as long as the defendant denied the charge, the Court must believe him.

Mr. D'Almada went on to say that the evidence for the prosecution was very weak, and asked his Worship not to forget the ingredients which made up a charge of larceny.

Away for Five Minutes.

It was admitted by the complainant herself that defendant had left the room for five minutes; the money was found in a fashion-book belonging to the defendant a few hours after he had been taken to the Police Station; defendant was not immediately searched on the spot. Mr. D'Almada pointed out that these were some of the weaknesses of the evidence given by the prosecution.

On the whole, he continued, he felt he must ask his Worship to discharge his client.

Inspector Elston admitted that the fact that the money was found several hours after the defendant had been taken to the Station was a point in his favour. However, with regard to the point stressed by Mr. D'Almada that defendant was not searched on the spot, he pointed out that the Police had no authority to search anybody except for arms, and they did not suspect that the defendant carried arms. The regulation was for them to demand that a person showed them all he had and then keep a careful watch on him until they reached the Station, where he could be searched.

In discharging the defendant, his Worship said he was a very lucky man.

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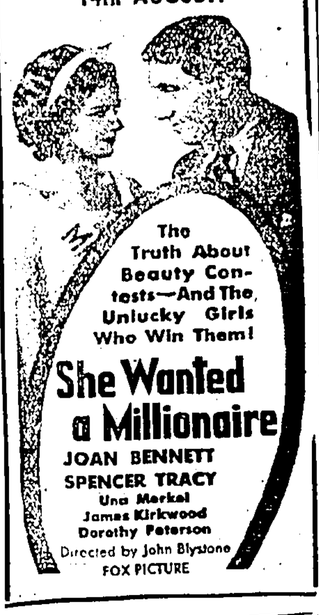

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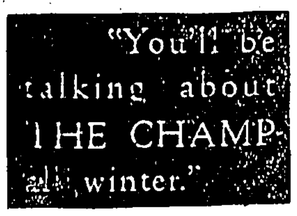

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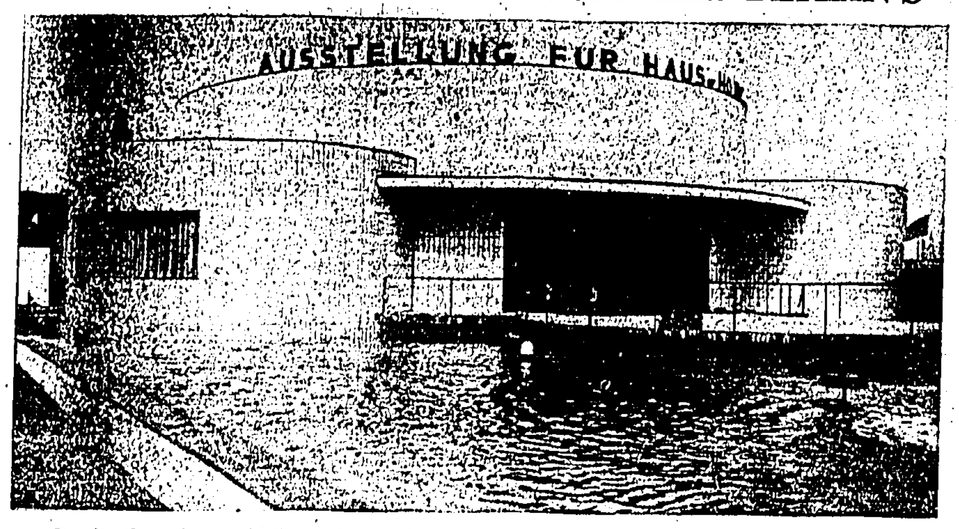
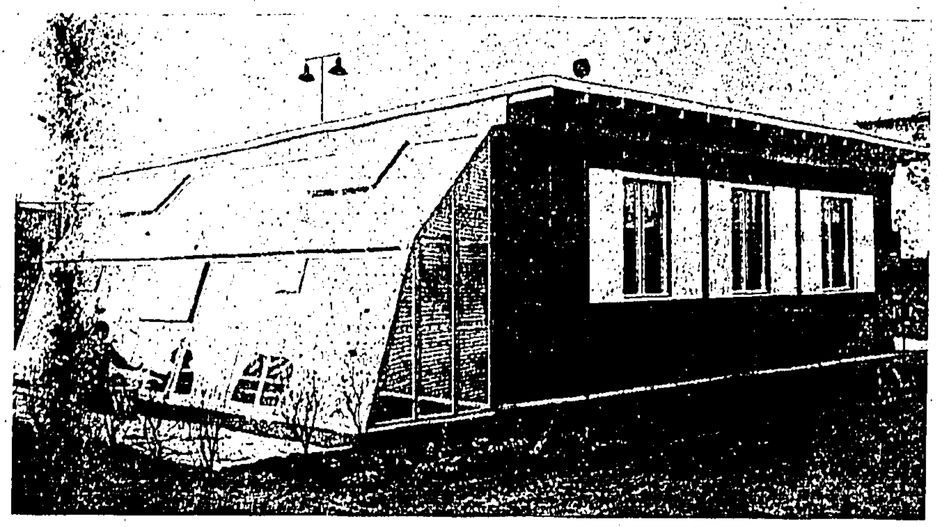


Despite the political and financial crises in Germany, the country is offering a challenge to the world in its handling of social problems, such as the housing of its people. Advanced modern ideas characterise the work of Germany's architects and much ingenuity is put into the cheaper house. A big summer exhibition held in Berlin recently provided the visitors with many delightful surprises. Photo above shows a remarkable example of modern house-construction, added to the fact that it is built upon water.

A bevy of laughing frauleins on the miniature railway at the Berlin Summer Exhibition.



A bungalow in the Berlin Exhibition, constructed in the main, of copper.

Another model house at the Berlin Exhibition, built entirely of steel.

The above photo shows a section of an exhibition of entries in a competition for the best design of a new monument. There is a remarkable variety. The exhibition was held in Berlin.

LEAP YEAR BRIDE

by Laura Lou BROOKMAN

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

Cherry Dixon, 19 and pretty, tells her mother she is going to a club meeting but instead meets Dan Phillips, newspaper reporter with whom she is in love. Her wealthy parents do not know she is acquainted with Dan. Cherry goes with him to interview a bank robber's sweetheart. She blunders into underworld headquarters and a bullet strikes her arm. Dan takes her to a doctor's office and then home. He is trying to explain what has happened when Mr. Dixon appears. Dixon is very angry and brandishes a newspaper containing Cherry's picture and an account of the shooting. He orders Dan from the house.

Days pass and Sarah, Cherry's maid, discovers Dan has telephoned and been told the girl is out of town. Cherry steals out of the house, meets Dan and explains. He tells her he loves her. When Cherry arrives home her father is waiting and accuses her of having met the reporter. Cherry defies her father and he orders her to apologize or leave. She runs out of the house. Later that evening she finds Dan, tells him what has happened, and says, "Let's get married!" They are married by a justice of the peace. Friends of Dan's find them and stage a celebration. Cherry and Dan manage to steal away from the party.

CHAPTER X

Cherry crossed the room and gave the window shade a tug. Bright morning sunshine was a fine thing, but too much of it was as bad as none. It blinded you.

She tossed her head back shaking the tangled mass of dark hair into becoming disarray. Then she sat down in the big chair, leaned back and surveyed the room.

She made an amusing picture. Pulled about her and tied securely at the waist was Dan Phillips' old dressing gown. A strange purplish-red hue now, the dressing gown had once been a handsome brocade. It was many sizes too large. Cherry had rolled the sleeves back, but the shoulder seams reached almost to her elbows. Dainty lace trimmed lingerie showed where the dressing gown fell away. Her buckled pumps were tiny and narrow, her hose of the sheerest mesh.

Suddenly she jumped up and went to the dressing table. A sheet of paper lay there, a few words scrawled on it in pencil. Cherry picked up and paper and read:

"Cherry—I love you. Be ready to have lunch with me.

"I'll call some time after 12.—Dan."

She had read the words at least a dozen times. At first it had been a surprise to realize that never before had she seen Dan's handwriting. That was odd, and still it wasn't. There were so many things Cherry had yet to learn about this young husband of hers.

Her husband. The girl's smile became a dreamy sort of radiance. She caught a glimpse of herself in the mirror and stared, fascinated.

Was that what love did to you? She seemed an entirely different person than she had been yesterday. The worn-out dressing gown caught her eye and suddenly the smile became a rippling laugh. Of course she was a different person. She was Mrs. Daniel Phillips!

"Oh, I'm so happy!" Cherry sang aloud. "I'm so happy!" She whirled in a dashing pirouette and flung herself upon the bed.

Each morning at home Cherry had started the day with fruit, hot rolls and steaming coffee. Usually they were brought to her bedside on a tray. Sarah would be there to pour the coffee and ask if everything was as it should be. Sarah would bring a quilted satin breakfast coat and slip it about the girl's shoulders to keep her warm while she ate.

Sarah, bless her! Where was she and what was she doing now? What were Cherry's mother and father thinking of the way their daughter had run off the night before? Were the servants whispering and wondering what had happened? Did others outside the house know about it?

For an instant the girl felt a pang of guilt. Her mother would be worrying. Crying perhaps at this very moment. Cherry loved her mother. She loved her father, too—when he was not roaring out orders or frightening her. Perhaps she should write a note—

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Cherry's chin raised and set in a firm line. No indeed! If she wrote they would imagine she was asking for forgiveness. She could not do it!

The dainty platinum watch on the girl's wrist reminded her it was growing late. Almost 10:30. There would be an hour and a half at least before Dan telephoned.

What about breakfast?

She decided not to go out for it; then almost instantly changed her mind. After all there was nothing to do until Dan called. A breath of fresh air and a brisk walk would be good for her.

She discarded the dressing robe and hung it away. Dan's clothing crowded the tiny closet to overflowing. As Cherry turned she realized what a really hideous room this was. Dark, dismal paper on the walls. Worn spots in the carpet. Two of the dressing table drawers were pulled out revealing garments tossed about. Newspapers and magazines in staggering piles littered the table and one of the chairs. The furniture was not only out of date; it looked as though it had not been dusted for days.

What a contrast to her rose and blue boudoir at home!

Cherry considered this a moment, then shrugged. "We won't stay here long," she told herself. "Dan said we could move and I'll begin looking at apartments right after lunch."

The beige crepe Cherry had worn the night before hung over a chair. She held it up, shaking her head. It was certainly not a costume to wear to breakfast in a restaurant. The tiny cap sleeves and becoming neckline were of lace, over which skillful French fingers had laboured for long hours. Too elaborate, too distinctive in its simple, unusual manner of cutting and seaming for the street.

Still there was no choice. Cherry slipped the frock over her head and snapped the fastenings.

Another note for her mental memorandum; she would have to buy some clothes.

With the polo coat pulled about her and the brown hat drawn down smartly Cherry set forth. Downstairs the hotel lobby, with its chandeliers still burning, looked exactly as it had the night before. A clerk she had not seen stood at the desk. Very self-consciously Cherry approached and left her room key.

She went out into the sunshine. The air was cool, bracing, but with that indefinable quality that never, never any but a day of spring can boast. Cherry breathed deeply, wondering why all the world was not out to enjoy the glorious morning.

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She made her way to the restaurant where she and Dan had gone the night before. At the corner she stopped and bought a newspaper. The want ad pages might help her to find a place for her and Dan to live. Cherry had never read a want ad, but she understood vaguely that people who had apartments to rent advertised them there.

An apple-cheeked waitress in a fresh yellow uniform smiled at Cherry and presented the menu card.

"Orange juice, coffee and toast," the girl ordered. She spread the newspaper to its full size and glanced at the first page hastily. A heading caught her eye.

MISS DIXON BRIDE OF NEWSPAPER REPORTER

It was only a paragraph. The brief report stated that Miss Cherry Dixon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Dixon of Sherwood Heights, and Daniel Phillips reporter for the *Wellington News*, had been married the night before by Justice of the Peace Cunningham. The paragraph listed the schools Cherry had attended adding that she was a popular member of the younger social set." Another sentence stated that Dan was on the *News* editorial staff and previously had been employed by the *Sentinel*.

Cherry was flushed and her eyes bright as she read the last words. So everyone knew! Her father and mother must have seen that paragraph. Well, they would understand now that she had meant what she said!

Lost in these thoughts Cherry scarcely noticed when the waitress returned with her order. She remembered presently, drank the orange juice and coffee and nibbled at the toast. Then she paid her bill and departed.

She went directly to the hotel, anxious to hear from Dan. It seemed a long while before the telephone rang and his voice came over the wire.

"Hello. That you, Cherry?"

"Yes, Dan. I've been waiting for you."

"How are you, baby? Sorry I couldn't give you a ring earlier, but I've been chasing all over town. Listen, dear, we'll have to call off that lunch date."

"Oh, Dan!"

"It's bum luck, but there's no way out of it. I'm parked out here at the airport and there's no telling when we'll get away. Those two girl flyers were due half an hour ago and we'll have to wait till they land or word comes they're down. It wasn't supposed to be my assignment, but Groves is tied up at City Hall."

"But can't you—?"

"I can't do anything but stay here," Dan assured her. "I hate to disappoint you, honey, but I can't help myself. Try to find some way to amuse yourself and we'll make up for it with a bang-up dinner party tonight. Is that all right?"

Reluctantly she told him it was. Phillips said something that brought a quick smile to the girl's face and then the conversation was over.

Well—not only a long morning to herself, but the afternoon as well!

The newspaper in which she had intended to search for apartment addresses lay on the table, but suddenly Cherry's interest had waned.

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She made up her mind to go shopping instead. There was less than $10 in her purse, but all her life Cherry had made purchases on charge accounts. Besides she simply had to have a dress. If she went to Maison Madelaine she knew they would be glad to open an account for her.

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DUE SUNDAY

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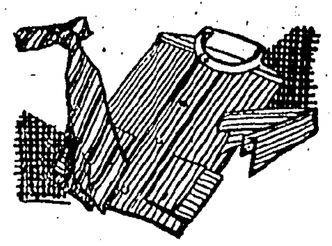

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Certificate No. 16178, dated 24th December, 1931, for 500 shares numbered 353062/353070; 401476/401525; 490846/490945; 491046/491145; 590562/590611; 607890/607949; 607980/608009; 747851/747944 & 792439/792445, registered in the name of Mr. Kwok Hin Wang, of Alexandra Building, Hong Kong.

Certificate No. 16333, dated 12th February, 1932, for 100 shares numbered 792223/792322 registered in the name of Mr. Wong Chan Woon, of 53, Des Voeux Road, East, Hong Kong.

And notice is hereby given that, if within thirty days from the date hereof no claim or representation in respect of such original certificates is made to the Company, the Company will then proceed to deal with the applications in such manner and on such terms as the Directors of the Company may decide.

For THE CHINA LIGHT & POWER CO. (1918). LTD.

NOEL BRAGA.
Secretary.

Hongkong, 9th August, 1932.

G. R.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 15th day of August, 1932, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of one Lot of Crown Land at Mong Kok in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

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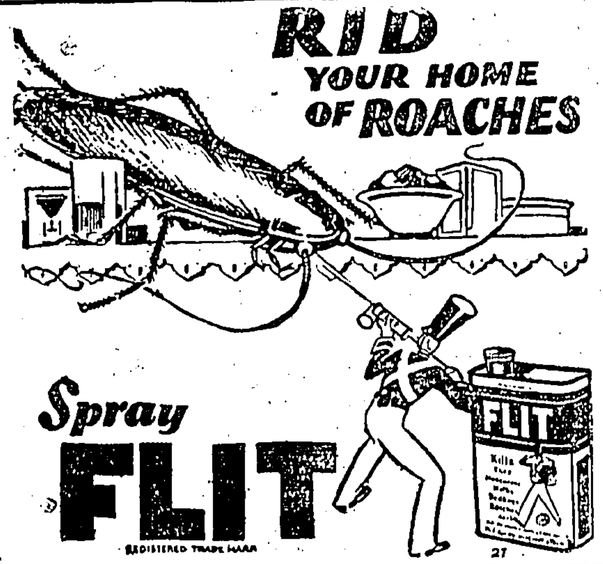
			feet	feet	feet	feet			
1	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 2979	Adjoining Kowloon Inland Lot No. 2561	As per sale plan.				About 4,545	$88	$42,113



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H.K. CONSTRUCTION COMPANY

RESOLUTION INCREASES DIRECTORS' FEES

AMENDMENT FAILS.

A meeting of shareholders of the Hongkong Engineering and Construction Company was held yesterday afternoon at 3 p.m. The Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga was in the chair, the other directors present being Mr. J. Scott Harston, Mr. Lo Cheung-shiu and Mr. L. Kadoorie.

Others present were Mr. A. R. F. Raven, general works manager, Mr. B. Alves, secretary, Mr. R. A. Wadeson, of Messrs. Deacons, (solicitors) and the following shareholders. —Messrs. H. Braga, K. Stuart-Smith, J. Gould, S. J. M. Figueiredo, C. P. Marques, M. H. Lo, M. K. Lo, J. V. Braga, A. M. Braga, F. L. Silva and Chan Kam-moon.

The Chairman, addressing the meeting, said:

The Resolution which I have to put before you for consideration and approval reads as follows:

That the Articles of Association of the Company be altered in manner following:

(a) By the deletion of the whole of Article 98 of the Company's Articles of Association and by the substitution of the following Article in its place.

98. From and after the first day of January, 1932, each Director other than the Managing Director shall be paid by way of remuneration for his services at the rate of $2,000 per annum and such remuneration shall be deemed to accrue de die in diem and shall be payable by half yearly instalments.

Development Scheme.

By the Company's Articles of Association, the maximum number of Directors is eight.. Actually, there are five Directors on the Board at present, including the Managing Director. The practical effect of the Resolution, if you see fit to adopt it, and if it should be confirmed at a subsequent meeting, will be the increase of the Company's expenditure in respect of Directors' fees (other than the Managing Director's remuneration), with a Board composed as it is at present, of $4,000 a year.

Since the Company's capital reorganisation two years ago, and your later adoption of their proposal to initiate a land and building development scheme, the duties and responsibilities of the Directors have been very largely increased. For some time past your Board has felt that a fee of a thousand dollars a year for each Director is altogether inadequate and they ask your authority, by virtue of the Resolution now submitted to you, to increase their fees to bring them more in accord with the extent of time and work devoted in your interests.

We think, it will be admitted, that the old scale of remuneration is not nearly enough when due regard is had to the altered condition of the Company's business. Having said as much as I have done, I feel I should add, on behalf of the Board, that the adoption of the Resolution will be left entirely in your hands, in the belief that the shareholders will concur in the sense of justification which has prompted your Board to move for the alteration in Article 98 providing for the payment of increased remuneration for the services of your Directors. I may add that the proposed increase has the approval of Sir Robert Ho Tung, who, though a Director, is also the Company's largest shareholder.

The Formal Motion.

I formally move the following Resolution: That the Articles of Association of the Company be altered in manner following:

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If shareholders have any comments to make thereon or any questions to put in relation thereto, I shall be pleased to reply to any remarks which any of you may feel inclined to address to the chair. If passed at this meeting, the Resolution will be submitted for confirmation at the meeting advertised to take place on Friday, the 26th August, 1932, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Mr. Choi Wing-hay seconded the resolution,

Amendment Moved.

Mr. Gould moved an amendment to Mr. Braga's resolution to the effect that from and after the 1st. day of January, 1933, each director other than the Managing Director shall be paid by way of remuneration for his services at the rate of $2,000 per annum, and such remuneration shall be deemed to accrue de die in diem and shall be payable by half yearly instalments.

In moving the amendment, Mr. Gould said that he would like to know whether it was the intention to increase the number of directors.

The Chairman said that for the present they had no intention of doing so, but he could not vouch for the future.

Mr. K. Stuart Smith seconded Mr. Gould's amendment.

Mr. Harston's Speech.

Mr. J. Scott Harston said:

I would like to say a few words with regard to the amendment which has just been proposed by Mr. Gould.

When the subject matter of this amendment was first mentioned to me by Hon. Mr. Braga (the Company's Managing Director), we had a discussion upon it, and in deference to Mr. Braga's views, I agreed that if such amendment were pressed, I would refrain from voting against it, but I intimated to Mr. Braga, and I desired him to so inform Mr. Gould, that I trusted the amendment would not be proceeded with because, to my mind, if it were, the fact thereof would be regrettable, as the policy involved therein not only constituted an unwarranted reflection upon the Directors in putting forward their resolution for an increase of fees, but would not result in any appreciable saving to the shareholders.

As, however, Mr. Gould has insisted upon proceeding with the amendment, I desire to state that the request for a retrospective increase in the Directors' fees emanated from myself and received the concurrence of Sir Robert Ho Tung, who although also a Director of the Company, is its largest shareholder.

Not Excessive.

In putting forward my request, I did so in the knowledge that the increased remuneration asked for was in no way excessive in view of the large increase in the amount of work which has for some considerable time past been entailed upon the Directors by reason of the Company's new activities.

I have been concerned as a director of companies for nearly thirty years, and I think I can honestly claim that I have never received or sought to receive remuneration as a Director which the circumstances in connexion with my services did not fully warrant—indeed I can go further and say that, in the case of many companies, I have done far more work than I have been paid for.

Having voiced my views as above, I shall, pursuant to my arrangement with Hon. Mr. Braga, refrain from voting against the amendment, and I would add that in doing so, I am bearing in mind the fact that it was solely by reason of Mr. Braga's efforts that this Company was rescued from perdition.

Resolution Carried.

Replying to Mr. Scott Harston, Mr. Gould said that he did not imply that the directors' fees were unwarranted, but as the Company was just getting on its feet, he thought that the action was rather premature.

Following some discussion, Mr. Braga said that he would like to bring three points to the notice of the meeting. The first was that in 1930 the Company wished to go into voluntary liquidation: the second was that when the Directors thought of a building scheme some of them offered to give personal security, and the third was the forfeiture of a substantial amount for under-writing fees in connexion with the new issues.

Mr. Gould said that he was not aware of this, and therefore wished to withdraw his amendment.

Mr. Braga's resolution was then put to the meeting and carried, and the meeting concluded.

POST OFFICE NOTICE

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Shanghai and Amoy	Antung	August 11.
Australia and Manila	Changte	August 12
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle 23rd July)	Pres. Taft	August 12.
Japan and Shanghai	Rawalpindi	August 12.
Shanghai and Swatow	Shantung	August 13.
Japan	Talma	August 14.
Manila	Pres. McKinley	August 15.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs., Aug. 11, 3 p.m.
Formosa	Batavia Maru	Thurs., Aug. 11, 3.30 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Thurs., Aug. 11, 4 p.m.
Saigon	Haldis	Thurs., Aug. 11, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C.	Empress of Russia	Fri., Aug. 12.
	Parcels	Aug. 11, 5 p.m.
	Reg.,	Aug. 12, 9.15 a.m.
	Letters,	Aug. 12, 10 a.m.
	(Due Vancouver B.C., 2nd Sept.)	
Amoy	Tjibadak	Fri., Aug. 12, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Fri., Aug. 12, 1 p.m.
Foochow	Chenan	Fri., Aug. 12, 5.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Rawalpindi	Sat., Aug. 13.
	K. P. O.	
	Parcels	12th, 4.30 p.m.
	Registration	13th, 9 a.m.
	Letters	13th, 10 a.m.
	G. P. O.	
	Parcels	12th, 5 p.m.
	Registration	13th, 9.45 a.m.
	Letters	10.30 a.m.
	(Due Marseilles, 9th September).	
Formosa	Kwansai Maru	Fri., Aug. 12, 3.30 p.m.
Shanghai	Muensterland	Fri., Aug. 12, 4.30 p.m.

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TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.
Hongkong Banks, $1550 sa.
Hongkong (Lon. Reg) £112
Chartered Banks, £13 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. £21 n.
Mercantile Bank C., £9⅛ n.
East Asia, $109 n.
Am: O. Finance Corp., $25 n.
China O. Fin. Ord., Tls.6 n.
China O. Fin. Pref. Tls.4.60 n.

Insurances.
Canton Ins., $1410 n.
Union Ins., $475 s.
China Underwriters, $2.80 b.
China Fire, $620 b.
H. K. Fire Ins., $1200 n.
Internation Assce. Tls. 4 n.

Shipping.
Douglases, $26 n.
H.K. Steamboats, $22½ b.
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.) $45 n.
Indo-Chinas (Def.), $32 n.
Shell (Bearer) 45/7½ n.
Union Waterboats, $20 b.

Mining.
Benguets, $16½ s.
Kailans, 23/6 n.
Langkats (Single), Tls.4 n.
S'hai Explorations, Tls.2.10 n.
S'hai Loans, Tls.2.30 n.
Raubs, $38½ b.
Venz: Goldfields, $1½ n.
Benguet Exp., 31 cts. n.

Docks, etc.
H.K. & K. Wharves $140 n.
H.K. & W. Docks, $19 b.
S. China Motors A., $10 n.
S. China Motor B., $8 n.
Providents (old), $5 b.
Providents (new), $2.30 n.
Hongkews, Tls. 218 n.
New Engineerings, Tls. 6 n.
Shanghai Docks, Tls. 84 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.
Hotels (old), $10.70 b.
Hotels (new), $10.30 b.
H.K. Lands, $78 b.
S'hai Lands, Tls.25¼ n.
Metropolitan Lands, Tls. 10 n.
Humphreys, $16 n.
H.K. Realties $10.80 n.
Asia Realties "A", $155 n.
Asia Realties "B", $26¾ n.
Chinese Estates, $105 n.
China Realties, Tls. 11.40 n.
China Debentures Tls. 96½ n.

Cottons.
Ewo Cottons, Tls. 14.05 b.
S'hai Cottons, Tls. 70 n.
Zoong-Sings, Tls. 10.60 n.
Wing On Textiles (S.) $145 n.

Public Utilities.
Tramways, $22.95 n.
Peak Trams (old), $16 n.
Peak Trams (new), $7½ b.
Star Ferries, $93¾ n.
Yaumati Ferries (old), $34 b.
Yaumati Ferries (new), $33 b.
China Lights (old), $18 b.
China Lights (new), $17.50 b.
H.K. Electrics, $77¾ b.
Macao Electrics, $24 n.
Sandakan Lights, $12 n.
Telephones (F.P.), $28 n.
Telephones (P.P.), $23.50 b.
China Buses, Tls.12 n.
Singapore Tractions, 2/- n.
Singapore Pref. 12/6 n.

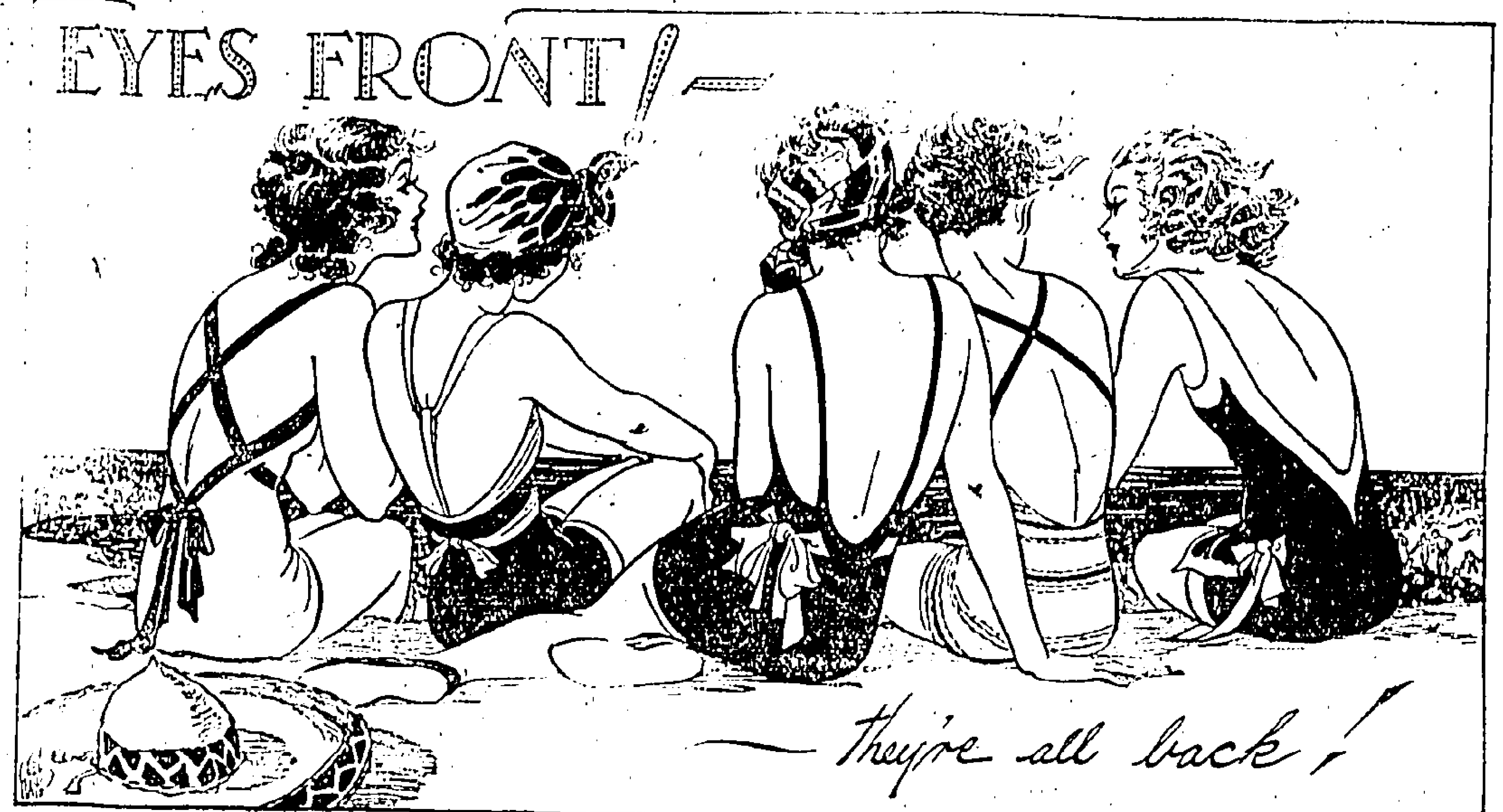
Industrials.
Malabon Sugars, $23 b.
Cald: Macg. (Ord.), Tls.14 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Tls.10½ n.
Canton Ices, $6 .
Cements (com.), $15.70 s.
Cements (old), $10½ n.
Cements (new), $5 n.
H.K. Ropes, $13 n.
Agriculturals, $10¼ n.

Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, $27.60 b.
Watsons (old), $12.80 b.
Watsons (new), $12¼ n.
Der. A. Wings, $1 n.
Lane Crawfords, $5.40 b.
Mackintoshs, $21 n.
Sinceres, $15.75 n.
Wm. Powells, $3.35 n.
Wing On (H. K.), $265 n.

Miscellaneous.
Amusements, $19¼ b.
Entertainments, $13¼ n.
S. C. Enterprises, $3¼ n.
United Theatres Tls 5 n.
Macao "Greyhounds", $10 n.
Constructions (old), $7.50 b.
Constructions (new), $1.70 n.
B. Ind. G. $ Bonds, $58% n.
H.K. Govt. Loans, 3% Pre. sa.
Wallace Harpers, $12.90 n.
China Sports Ltd., $10 n.

WOMEN'S WORLD

FOR OUR LADY READERS.



SHORT CUTS TO BEAUTY.

Care of the Back.

First of all the back must have a beauty bath. The water must be made milky with oatmeal and scented with powdered orris root. This bath will soften and bleach the skin. Once a week during the back beautifying process have a home Turkish bath. Put half a pound of Epsom salts in a hot bath and sit in it for at least twenty minutes adding more hot water as soon as the bath cools.

During this time sip a pint of hot water to which has been added a tea-spoonful of the salt. While in the bath massage the back briskly with a loofah. The Epsom salts bath is a splendid thing for getting rid of spring blemishes which appear on the back more frequently than on the face, and it is also very slimming.

While the skin is warm and soft from the bath, rub muscle oil into the back. If you find it difficult to apply soak a piece of old linen in the oil and apply to the back like a poultice. Leave this on as long as possible.

For Evening Functions.

When dressing to go out in the evening use a powder foundation on the back if it has had a good creaming or oiling the night before. You can apply the cream by means of a rubber cup on a stick which is made for this purpose, like the back puff. Lotion or astringent can be applied by means of large pads of the cheaper kind of cotton wool.

Rub the powder in well and finish off with a perfectly clean puff to avoid powdering the dress.

Backs, as well as faces, need their regular beauty treatments and make-up.

FIG MOULD.

Cut a pound of figs into small pieces, and put into a saucepan with four ounces of sugar, a pint of water, and the grated rind and juice of a lemon. Simmer together until the figs are tender. Add an ounce of gelatine, and, when this is absolutely dissolved, pour the mixture into a wetted mould. Turn out when set, and garnish with whipped cream.

TO-DAY'S RECIPES.

Chocolate Nut Fingers.

Take ½lb. sugar, 2oz. ground almonds, vanilla or almond flavouring, 1 dessert-spoon cocoa, 1oz. ground rice, 1oz. almonds, apricot jam. Line the bottom of a small baking-tin with some flaky pastry. Blanch, skin and chop the almonds, then mix the cocoa, sugar, ground rice and almonds together, whisk the white of an egg to a stiff paste and add to the prepared ingredients; if necessary, a very little cold water may be added.

Spread a thin layer of jam over the pastry, cover with the mixture and spread evenly. Brush the surface over with water, sprinkle the chopped almonds on the top and bake in a hot oven 15 to 20 minutes. When cold, cut into fingers.

Steamed Honey Pudding.

Line a moderate-sized basin with a good suet crust (thin), put 1 scant tablespoon of honey into it, then a thin layer of paste; repeat until within an inch of the basin rim. Tie down and steam for 3 hours. This is delicious served with cream.

Wheatmeal and Honey Biscuits.

One large cup self-raising flour, 2 large cups wholemeal, milk, 1 scant cup butter. Beat 1 egg and add to it ½cup honey and the sifted flour and whole-meal with butter rubbed in. Mix well and stir in enough milk to make a stiff paste. Turn on to a floured board, roll out ¼inch thick and stamp into rounds. Bake in a moderate oven till pale brown.

NEW IDEAS IN BATHING CAPS

Some of the 1932 bathing caps are made in the form of a beret—a type of cap primarily intended for sports wear.

They are fashioned from rubber embossed in a close design that stimulates a knitting weave. They are available in the usual bright colours.

Another type of cap is just like a wig in effect. Made of rubber, it fits close to the head and "waves" from a side parting down over the ears. The colours are varying shades of brown and black.

FOR THE BEACH.

Bag and Cushion Combined.

One yard of bright coloured cretonne, and an old rubber apron can be used to make a combined beach bag and cushion.

Cut a piece of material, 28 ins. by 13 ins., for the main part of the bag; two pieces, 12 ins. by 13 ins., for a pocket, and a cushion; and a smaller piece for a second pocket.

Take a piece of the rubber apron that measures 27 ins. by 12 ins.

Make a narrow double turning to the wrong side of the cretonne. Slip the raw edges of the rubber under the folded edges, and sew together, using a very slack stitch on the machine. (Turn the shabby part of the apron inside, of course.) Next, sew the smaller pocket piece in position on a larger one.

Cut another piece of rubber, 11 ins. by 13 ins. You may have to join this with solution to get it all out of one apron. Make turnings on the cretonne piece, slip the rubber into place, and lay in position at one end of the bag.

Machine along two sides and the bottom. This rubber lined pocket will hold bathing costumes, and the smaller pocket will be used for sewing or writing materials.

Now make single turnings on the other piece of material. Lay this on the other end of the bag, and machine along three sides. Stuff the space with any soft material, then stitch up the fourth side. This forms the cushion, and is thoroughly damp-proof.

Fold and stitch two pieces of material 12 ins. long by 4 ins. wide, and put one at each end of the bag to form the handles. Then open out the bag to its fullest extent, and across the middle of the inside sew a four inch strip of cretonne to make the loop for the beach sunshade.

LEATHER AND BEAD BELTS.

Beads and leather are combined in some of the newest belts, which have a gay and colourful appearance. The beads, which are of two or three colours, are attached in diagonal lines of a similar colour to a narrow strip of leather, and they fasten in the ordinary way, with a buckle, or with a tessel at each end, also carried out in beads.

SLIMMING YOUR FACE.

By Joan Beringer.

So much attention is paid to wrinkles and sagging face muscles that the other side of the picture—the too-fat face—gets less consideration. But many women want to know how they can reduce the contours of the face by just a fraction, without getting that haggard look which rigid dieting is apt to produce.

It can be done professionally by hot paraffin wax—the same treatment that is given for general reduction of the body.

But there are quite a number of methods which can be tried out at home. Brisk, upward slapping of the face with a reducing lotion, or, if the skin is dry, a non-fattening cream followed by an application of witch hazel, is one of the simplest. But give the skin time to cool down before going out; it is helpful to cover the face with a thin layer of cotton wool and splash with cold water after the treatment.

Another way of face-slimming is to pinch the face with the same light touch as you use when rubbing butter into flour during cake-making. And there is a reducing soap which should be damped and then worked into the fat portion of face and neck.

For The Chin.

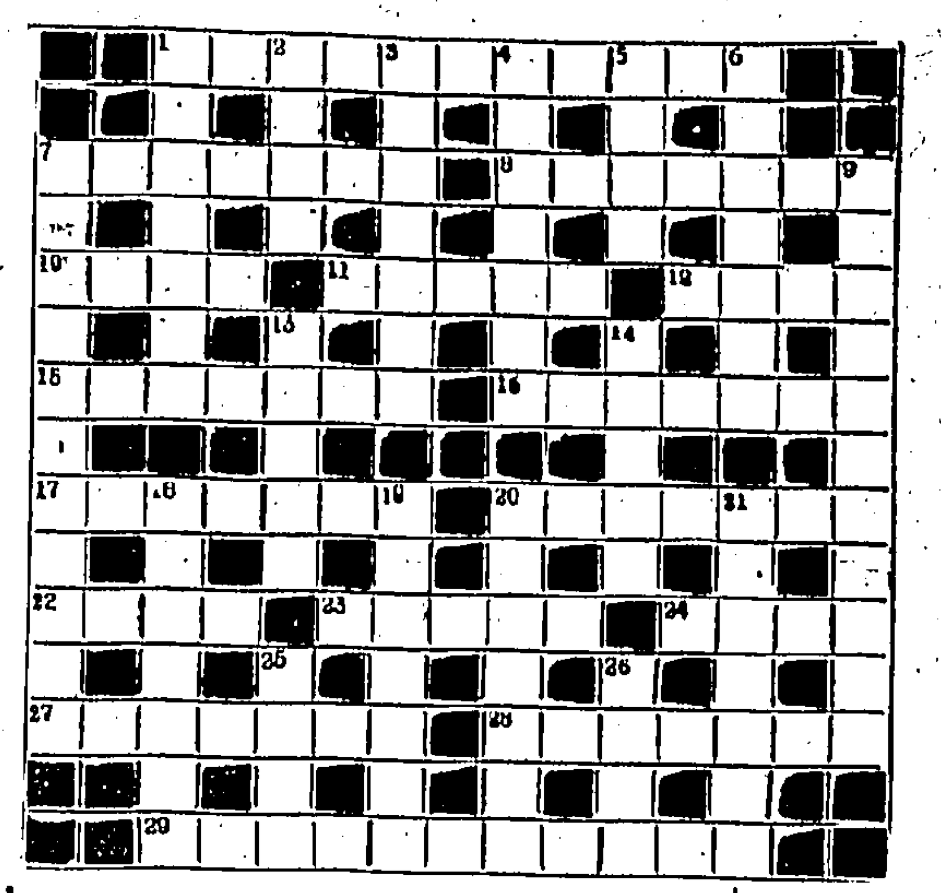
Many women imagine that they have a fat face because the muscles have dropped and the face has become full round the lower part of the cheeks and the chin. Firm massage of certain muscles is necessary to remedy this.

The most important muscle line in this connexion begins at the top of the head, stretches across the temple and down to the cheeks. This requires constant strengthening to keep it taut and hold up the cheeks and chin line. There are four important massage movements which must be carried out daily. The first is from eyebrow up to the hair; the second from the outer end of the eyebrow to above the ear; the third from nose to ear, and the fourth from mouth to lobe of ear.

In each case press the fingers gently into the flesh, and move in an upward direction in small circles over the lines described.

Always use a massage cream when doing this exercise.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



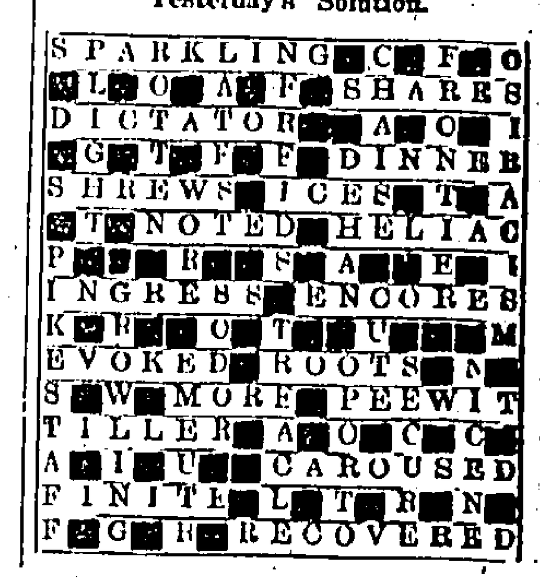
Across

1 Obviously tight.
7 Possibly Turkish transports.
8 A bad character.
10 A musician may keep it, yet kill it.
11 He's a lad at heart—this "lad" of a former age.
12 A fallen monarch.
15 Slum that is more than half a castle.
16 "Rio tots" the Florence restaurants produce (anag.).
17 Cow.
20 The sort of depression that ends with the lips.
22 Where to find pals.
23 "Tooth'd briers, sharp—s, pricking goss, and thorns" ("The Tempest").
24 Final phase of collapse.
27 Indulged in 7 Across.
28 Proceeds about Noah's choice.
29 Because "Man dreams it," is it but a Geneva dream?

Down

1 Place where you'd scarcely expect to find a cool mob.
2 Almost night.
3 To agree entirely.
4 Red Ivan, as Siberia regarded him.
5 Whether a medical man should has been much discussed.
6 Good hard try for a possible coterie of the past.
7 Get worse.
9 Wind up.
13 Not much use unless depressed.
14 In this practice, you have to give way in the middle.
18 Sovereign apparently involving interpretation.
19 Where to find Chimborazo.
20 Dance.
21 Stamp that seems to confess to being a cheap fabric.
25 An inflammatory finish that seems to reassure the questioner.
26 Eighteenth Century painter.

Yesterday's Solution.



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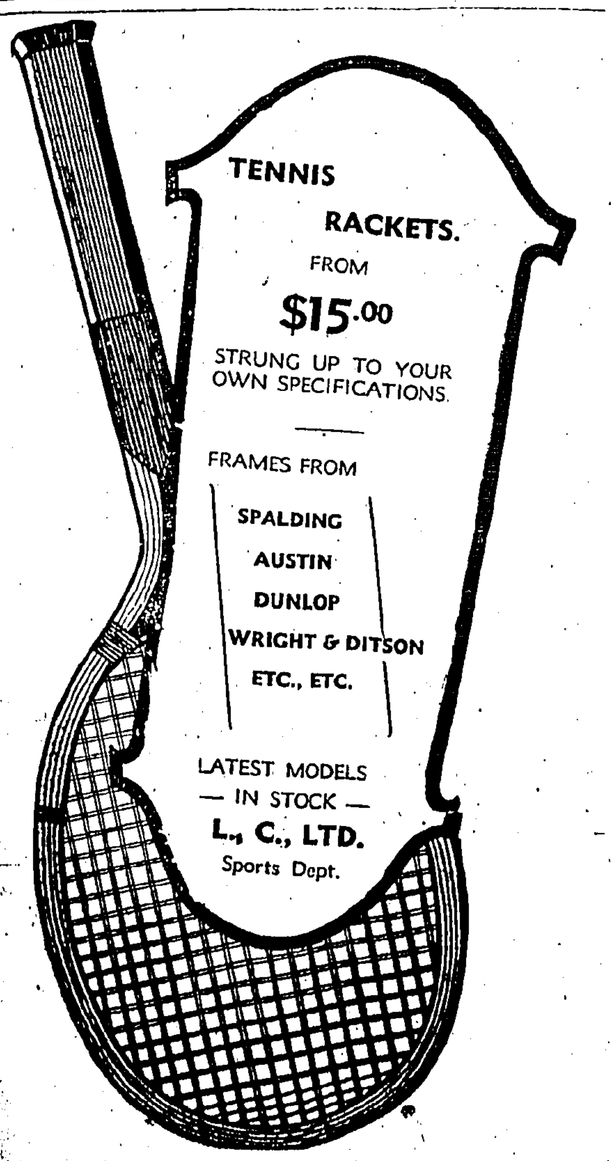

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

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The Hongkong Telegraph.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 11, 1932.

OTTAWA PROBLEMS

Whilst there is every hope that arrangements will be concluded at Ottawa which should materially increase inter-Imperial trade, the logic of economics is apparently modifying the expectations of those who had hoped for miracles. In other words, it is becoming evident that whilst it is easy to talk loosely of Imperial economic unity, it is much more difficult to translate the idea into actuality. Snags are already being encountered, and although there is no cause for pessimism, it would be the height of folly to expect the impossible to happen or to shut our eyes to what is well described as the hard reality of facts. One thing, however, is certain, namely, that if substantial agreement cannot now be reached, at a moment when Britain is no longer on a Free Trade basis and when the British delegation is untrammelled by traditional policies, then we can never expect the Empire Free Trade movement to become a reality. This fact is now doubtless realised by the Dominions and the Mother Country alike and it will at least cause every effort to be made to achieve as large a measure of accord as is possible.

One circumstance which has probably not received the consideration which it should have done is that the position as between the Mother Country and the Dominions has immensely changed since the days when Mr. Joseph Chamberlain brought forward his idea of Imperial Preference. In those days, the Dominions were very largely producers, of foodstuffs and raw materials, and of very little else. In the interim, many of them have become relatively highly industrialised, millions of pounds sterling having been sunk in innumerable enterprises. Naturally, therefore, there would not be too much enthusiasm for the free importation of competing British manufactures. On the other hand, Britain obviously cannot afford to raise prohibitive tariff walls against foreign commodities and at the same time expect foreign countries to buy her goods. A Canadian commentator, writing on the Ottawa Conference outlook recently remarked that the Canadian Conservatives appeared to combine a fervid passion for increased Imperial trade with an uncanny skill in avoiding mention of the commodities which are to be bought from Britain in increased quantities, while English industrialists who have been visiting Canada have been careful not to offend the suspectibilities of Canadian manufacturers; this they have done by urging only the free admission of those classes of British goods not at present made in Canada. Here we have reflected one aspect of the problem of more extended inter-Imperial trade.

All sensible Britons, of course, wish to encourage trade between different parts of the Empire. But that should not rule out the idea of stimulating trade with and between foreign countries as well. Imperial economic co-operation must be developed in ways which are not exclusive. This can be done in numerous ways. But it would not be to the benefit of the Empire to attempt to shut it off in a watertight compartment from the rest of the world. That would be bad economics. More than that, an exclusive economic imperialism would be just as harmful as an exclusive economic nationalism can be and is. Despite the difficulties which are being encountered at Ottawa, however, we believe that this great gathering of Imperial statesmen cal still accomplish much of value, even if the dreams of the more ardent spirits are not fully realised. But it is essential that nothing shall be done by shortsighted policies which will prove really harmful to the true interests of the Motherland or the Dominions.

These Conferences.

Practically the whole of this year has been taken up with international conferences, all purporting to solve the world's difficulties by united action. What is the outcome of them all? Must it be confessed that the ideals of League of Nations enthusiasts are all day-dreams and impracticable? Even in critical times like these, there are vested interests who are so near-sighted and prejudiced as to desire to wreck all movements tending to promote international peace. Internationalism is challenged at every point. Yet it is still too early to declare bluntly that International Conferences have no good result and certainly it is folly to deduce from the slow progress that is being made that the ideals of the League of Nations are impracticable. There is no other medium which could be substituted which would enable the opinions of all nations, great and small, to be collected and reconciled into one formula. It would be a confession of futility to admit that nations will never be at peace with one another; that nothing can be done to prevent the recurrence of war. In that case our present civilisation is doomed and all progress the last thousand years have seen has been in vain. There is no question of military or religious domination in the minds of world state advocates to-day. Modern science has made nations inter-dependent; the risk of war is probably greater; but it has also enabled nations to come to a better understanding of each other's points of view. At least, the League has given permanent machinery to tackle international problems in a scientific and methodical manner. There has been more open diplomacy and less secret intrigue than there was in prewar days and more candid international discussions. This is all to the good and we certainly have to thank League of Nations for this advance in international relations.

DAY BY DAY

EVERYONE IS USEFUL TO SOMEBODY, FOR HE ALSO SERVES WHO ONLY STANDS AND WAITS.

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Knocked down by a private motor car driven by Mr. Fung Wo-iu, in Queen's Road West yesterday, Tang Tak-sang, aged eight years, sustained injuries to his head.

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Whilst cutting pork at his stall in the Saiyingpun market, a foki accidentally cut his left wrist and had to be taken to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment.

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Due to the fusing of an electric wire at 63, Haiphong Road shortly after midnight, a small fire broke out on the first floor, but the outbreak was extinguished without any damage being caused.

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Miss Marjorie Mason, a teacher of the Diocesan Girls' School, has reported to the police that some time between 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. yesterday some person entered her room at the school and stole a travelling clock.

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The residence of Mr. S. K. Loo, of 300, Boundary Street, was entered by some person between midnight and 8.30 a.m. yesterday when $42.55 in money, a gold pocket watch, a gold pencil and a piece of green jade were stolen.

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A charity performance of Raja Harishchandra (a play in Hindustani) is to take place at the Po Hing Theatre on Saturday at 8.30 p.m. Proceeds of sale of tickets are to be devoted to the Child Welfare Centre, Indian Troops.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Ormiston left yesterday aboard the s.s. Menelaus on an extended holiday. They expect to be in the United Kingdom for approximately three months, and to return to Hongkong via the Panama Canal, New Zealand and Australia.

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Cheung Tim-fa, aged 15, of 75 Hennessy Road, was knocked down by a Star taxi in Connaught Road Central yesterday when riding a bicycle. He sustained injuries to his right knee and was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment.

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Scalp wounds were received by a woman named Cheng Chuen, aged 37, of 1B Queen Victoria Street, yesterday, when she was knocked down by a public motor car in Connaught Road Central. She was taken to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment.

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On receipt of complaints from Messrs. Thomas Cook & Son, three Chinese who were found gambling in the lane running from Chater Road to Connaught Road, were arrested by the police and on the appearance of two of the men before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court this morning, fines of $3 each were imposed. The third man had his bail of $5 estreated.

WATER LEVELS.

WEST NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The following table issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission shows the height of water in English feet on the dates named in the West, North and East Rivers:

	Highest on record.	Lowest on record.	Aug. 9	Aug 10
West River at Shiuhing ..	+41.7	0	34.7	34.7
North River at Shiuhing ..	+41.7	0	11.6	11.1
North River at Samshui ..	+27.3	—5.8	22.6	22.8
East River at Shecklung ..	+15.5	—2.5	9.8	9.3

"How's the emergency case in 4087"
"Much better, except he's rather upset that his accident didn't get a bigger notice in the papers."

ROBERT LYND suggests that

HOLIDAY MAKERS SHOULD BE CERTIFIED

I REGRET to see that the French Government has withdrawn the decree calling on all foreign visitors remaining more than two months to produce certificates of character.

When I first read of the decree, I rejoiced in it as a step towards a better civilisation, in which the Governments of the world would be more interested in the moral character of a visitor than in the colour of his eyes.

If such a decree were generally enforced it would undoubtedly make for better international relationships. If only the best kind of Englishman and Englishwoman were allowed to land in France, what a high opinion the French would have of the English! No longer would they be shocked by the spectacle of middle-aged Anglo-Saxon wastrels flinging away fortunes at the Monte Carlo tables, or of young English-speaking idlers desecrating the morning in the cocktail bars on the Nice front.

I do not see why, if it is important for a country to send only its best cricketers to Australia, it should not be equally important to send only its best tourists to France and the other countries of Europe.

Many people, no doubt, would resent the necessity of carrying certificates of character about with them. This, to my mind, is absurd. A good man has much less reason to feel ashamed of his character than of his passport photograph.

Earning a Day in the Country.

I should like to see the carrying of certificates of character made compulsory, indeed, not only for foreign but for home travel. No man should be given a ticket at a railway station for a trip to the country until he had produced a certificate, signed by a clergyman, undertaking that he would not throw sandwich-papers about the countryside and that he would not pick more wild flowers than he could carry home in his two arms. Again, policemen might be stationed along the roads approaching beauty-spots to compel motorists to produce certificates declaring that they are not the sort of persons who believe that a deposit of empty bottles, cardboard cake-boxes, and gooseberry skins improves the look of the countryside.

Can one imagine anything more likely to raise the average of good conduct in the public than the bestowal of special privileges on everybody who can produce good-conduct certificates and the stern refusal of these privileges to all who are unable to do so? Children are or used to be, given good conduct prizes at school, but in later life a saint is often no better rewarded than a rascal. The rascal with money is admitted to the same seaside hotels as the saint with money; he is as enthusiastically welcomed at the best restaurants; even in the allotment of the stalls at a theatrical first night no priority is given to the good man over the bad.

Now, if a good-conduct certificate were made essential as a passport to the pleasures of life, would not this influence the conduct of the rising generation more than even the best preaching? Let a schoolboy know that only by a prolonged course of good conduct can he hope to be allowed to buy a ticket for a Test Match, and you will hear no more complaints of ragging at Eton. And during the great match at Lord's you will see such an array of shining faces that the very batsmen will be dazzled by the radiance

If none but the virtuous were permitted to attend the Cup Final at Wembley, and the Rugby Internationals at Twickenham, it is my belief that an immense change would come over the spirit of young England. The nineteenth century believed in whipping the young into good behaviour. The twentieth century will show its superior wisdom by gently enticing them into good behaviour.

Some of those who object to the system of good-conduct certificates do so on the ground that every man should be regarded as a well-behaved person till he is proved to be otherwise. But, if a man has to produce a doctor's certificate in order to be admitted into the Civil Service, what logical objection can there be to his having to produce a clergyman's certificate before he is admitted into Clacton or Margate?

We do not feel insulted when an insurance company asks us whether our habits are temperate. Why, then, should we be offended if the Mayor of Brighton insists upon getting an answer to the same question?

I admit that the certificate system would be by no means easy to put into practice. The idea of what constitutes good conduct varies from place to place. What seems good conduct at Torquay might cause grave offence on the Riviera, and conduct that passed for good at Oban might be frowned on by the Lido.

Certificates for Cash.

At the same time, if we agree on the general principle, we shall find some means of making it work. And by the time it has been working for even a year we shall no longer have to put up with the spectacle, so humiliating to a lover of human nature, of that odious and distrustful notice, "No cheques cashed," staring at us in so many South Coast hotels. Such notices will be superfluous in an age in which a man will be able to produce his certificate of character along with his chequebook.

I believe that, in such circumstances, certificates of character would be so much sought after that a good man would be able to sell his certificates for quite a large sum.

ONE WHO FOUND BEER

(By "Edward Kelly," Imbiber).

Beer!

What, we have often wondered, was it like?

There must be something about beer, we have argued, or why would strong, silent men weep over it, or lean on each others shoulders, and sing, and sing, and sing.

We have passed the adolescent stage, but last week we felt reckless. We decided we would sow a couple of wild oats; we would see what beer was like.

In the course of our experiment we met two Australians. They said they would show us what beer was like.

The Australians said that, first of all, we would have to drink some Resch's.

Resch's, theysh shaid, was goodsh, Oshtralian beersh.

Show we hash two botlesh of Resh.

We inveshed ourshelves wish enthusiashm andsh mor beersh.

Then we hadsh 'nurrer.

Ostralians goodsh fellers. Good old Oshtralia. 'Mericans can'sh drinksh beersh. Probishun. Poor oldsh 'Mericans.

Onesh 'America wash as wetsh ash Pashific. Now it'sh dry ash Ashphalt.

We hadsh 'norr bers . . .

Goodsh olex 8o Strxlan.

Goodresh olsf hsyentkefnd.

Goo . . . . HIC.

SUGAR MARKET

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following cable at the close of the sugar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Pentreath and Co.

London Terminals

December 1932 6/6¾ down ½d.
March 1933 6/8½ down ¾d.
May 1933 6/10½ down ½d.
August 1933 7/1½ up ¾d.
Buyers at above prices Sellers asking ¼d-½d more.

New York Terminals.

September 1932 1.10 up 3 pts.
December 1932 1.15 up 2 pts.
March 1933 1.08 down 1 pt.
May 1933 1.13 no change.
July 1933 — —
Cuban 96° Spot New York 1.15 up 5 pts.

LINCOLNS COMING TO HONGKONG

WILL RELIEVE THE ARGYLLS

NOW IN SHANGHAI

Hongkong is to lose the 2nd. Batt. of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders. They are to be relieved by the 1st. Batt. of the Lincolnshire Regiment, from Shanghai, and the Argylls will make the Northern port their new station.

The Lincolns, originally the 10th Foot, were in Shanghai during the Sino-Japanese disturbances this year, having gone there from Gibralter.

Their officer commanding is Col. E. J. de C. Boys, M.C., who has a brilliant war record.

The Lincolnshire's badge is the Sphinx; superscribed with the word "Egypt". The Regiment has a long and honourable active service record, and took part in numerous engagements during the Great War both on the Western Front and at Gallipoli. The regiment added fame to its history through the prominent part it took in the smashing of the "Hindenberg Line".

Whilst in Shanghai, the Lincolnshires have made themselves extremely popular. They have a splendid sports record and have already indicated their intention to take part in league soccer in Hongkong this winter.

The battalion is expected to arrive early in October and will take over Shamshuipo camp when the Argylls leave a few days later.

SEWING MACHINE DISPUTE

INTERESTING CASE IN CANTON

Canton, Aug. 10.

A rather unusual case was heard in the Chinese Court yesterday, when the Honwan Trading Co. sued a Chinese dealer.

The dealer who ordered some sewing machines from the Honwan Trading Co., originally sued the firm for compensation on the machines, stating that they were not according to the sample chosen by him in their office. The Honwan Co. contended that the new machines, being the latest models, were an improvement on the old sample, and brought a counterclaim against the dealer for not taking delivery of the goods on due date.

A sewing machine which had been given to the Honwan Trading Co., for repair also played a large part in the proceedings, since this machine was given to the same dealer to be ovehauled. After many months had passed, the lady owner asked for her machine to be returned to her, but the dealer refused to deliver same, claiming that this machine was the original sample shown to him in the office of the Honwan Co. when giving his order.

The Honwan Trading Co. yesterday agreed that since the defendant thought he was entitled to compensation they would allow him H.K.$1,000, but only on condition that he took delivery and paid for the machines within 24 hours.

The Judge seemed to favour this method as a quick settlement, and adjourned the final hearing until Saturday, when both parties will be called upon to sign their concurrence in this arrangement.—*Our own Correspondent.*

YOUTH WITH A CATAPULT

DANGEROUS SPORT FOR TOWN

A young Chinese was prosecuted by Sub-Inspector Russell before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court this morning for shooting at birds with a catapult, near Government House yesterday.

According to the prosecuting officer, the defendant was seen by an Indian constable firing at a pigeon on a tree. He was facing Garden Road and thus endangered traffic. If a stone from the catapult went through the wind-screen of a motor car, a lot of damage might easily have been caused.

Remarking that if he wanted to use a catapult he should go into the country, as serious damage might be caused in town, his Worship imposed a fine of $10.

AMAH CREATES TROUBLE

LADY CALLS IN THE POLICE

Mrs. P. F. Le Fevre, living at "On Lee" House, Mount Davis Road, charged Kam Yuet-sin, 43, a Shanghai woman who was formerly in her employ as an amah, with remaining in or making use of her servants' quarters. The case, in which Sergt. Kinnear appeared for the police, came before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court to-day.

Sergt. Kinnear stated that the woman was employed by Mrs. Le Fevre until two years ago, when, on the termination of her employment, she was sent back to Shanghai.

About three weeks ago, Mrs Le Fevre sent for her, in an endeavour to find employment for her. When the woman came back, she was allowed by Mrs. Le Fevre to stay in the servants' quarters up till the end of the year, by which time, it was anticipated, she would be able to find employment.

TICKET BOUGHT.

However, about the second week of her return, the woman commenced to give trouble, quarrelled and interfered with the houseboys, and in other respects made herself extremely objectionable. It was then that Mrs. Le Fevre asked her to return to Shanghai, and with that end in view, she booked a passage and purchased a ticket.

This did not appear to fit in with the woman's plans, for she dilly-dallied, and in the end asked that she be given the money for the passage ticket instead. When the time came for her to leave, she refused to go and caused trouble.

As Mrs. Le Fevre was living alone in the house, her husband being away, she was frightened, and telephoned for the police. This occurred last Monday. The amah was ordered from the house, and went to live with friends at Kennedy Town.

REFUSED TO BUDGE.

Yesterday, she returned to the house, installed herself in the servants' quarters and refused to budge. Again the police were sent for, to compel her to leave.

Members of the Shanghai community working at the Commercial Press at Kennedy Town, said Sergt. Kinnear, would not have anything to do with her.

In answer to the charge, defendant gave as the reason for her return to the house, her desire to recover a debt of $100 which she alleged was owed her by one of the houseboys.

The man in question, emphatically denying the debt, declared that it was the other way about. The woman, he told the Court, had borrowed $15 from him.

The Magistrate pointed out that it was not for his Court to attend to these money matters. His Worship suggested an adjournment of twenty-four hours for the question to be settled.

It was stated that Mrs. Le Fevre's offer of a passage back to Shanghai for the woman was still open. His Worship agreed that this was a solution of the problem of what to do with the woman. He proposed to bind her over.

Defendant was remanded.

PIRATES FIRE ON SMUGGLERS

FOKI INJURED WHILE IN WATER

A piratical attack in Chinese waters on what is believed to have been a boat engaged in smuggling goods into Chinese territory has been reported to the police by a foki of the victimised craft from which the crew of three jumped into the water directly the pirates threatened to secure them in the hold.

A craft of about ten piculs, the fishing boat had a cargo of sugar, salt, and fish maw, the total value being approximately $300, when she left Yaumati for the Heung Shan District on August 3, believed to have been attempting to smuggle the salt into Chinese territory.

On nearing Lan Tau early yesterday morning, a fishing boat with one mast went alongside. Four men, one of whom was armed with a rifle and another with a revolver, boarded the smugglers' craft. The pirates at once disclosed their intention of securing the crew of the pirated boat, but the master and his two fokis immediately jumped into the water.

The man with the revolver fired six shots at the three figures in the water, one of the fokis being injured in the leg. For approximately three quarters of an hour the men were in the water, being later rescued by a cargo junk which arrived on the scene. The pirates were then about half a mile away and two shots from the cargo junk were fired but without effect.

The crew of three were brought back to Hongkong and the wounded foki, Chung Kam-chong, aged 19, was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment.

PIRATES RALLY BUT FAIL AGAIN

Chicago Nearer Without Playing

New York, Aug. 10.

Pittsburgh broke their long run of non-success at Boston to-day, but the revival was short, the second game of their double header resulting in further defeat, and Chicago, disengaged, are now only .003 behind them.

Schulmerich and Berger hit home runs to give Boston their victory in the second game when Pittsburgh seemed well set. O'Doul (twice), Taylor, Frederick and Wilson hit home runs for Brooklyn, who took a double-header from Cincinnati. Other circuit clouters were Chuck Klein, Rhiel (Detroit), Schulte (St. Louis Browns). Results:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston	2	10	0
Pittsburgh	5	10	1
Boston	3	4	1
Pittsburgh	2	9	1
Brooklyn	6	10	1
Cincinnati	1	6	3
Brooklyn	10	15	2
Cincinnati	9	15	4
Philadelphia	5	14	1
St. Louis	11	16	0

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago	3	9	0
Philadelphia	6	12	2
Detroit	6	10	0
Boston	2	3	0
St. Louis	6	10	1
New York	7	17	0

League standings follow:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburgh	60	49	.550
Chicago	58	48	.547
Boston	58	53	.523
Brooklyn	57	54	.514
Philadelphia	56	57	.496
St. Louis	53	56	.486
New York	50	56	.471
Cincinnati	48	66	.417

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York	75	35	.682
Philadelphia	66	44	.600
Cleveland	64	45	.587
Washington	61	49	.554
Detroit	57	49	.538
St. Louis	48	60	.444
Chicago	36	69	.343
Boston	26	82	.241

—*Reuter.*

GERMAN CONSTITUTION DAY

OFFICAL RECEPTION AT GERMAN CLUB

An official reception was held at the German Club to-day by the Consul, Dr. B. Hahn, on the occasion of the thirteenth anniversary of German Constitution Day.

The toast of His Majesty the King was proposed by Dr. Hahn, and Major-General J. W. Sandilands, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., proposed the toast of Marshal von Hindenberg, the President of the Republic.

Over 150 guests were present, among whom were Captain Webb, representing the Officer Administrating the Government, His Hon. Sir J. H. Kemp, Kt. C.B.E., Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, His Hon. Mr. J. R. Wood, Capt. D.R.M. Cameron, A.D.C. to the Officer Commanding the British Troops in China, Capt. Barker-Benfield, R.A., Commodore Walker, Commander Grace, Hon Mr. C. G. Alabaster, K.C., O.B.E., Attorney-General, M. Dufaure de la Prade, Consul-General for France, Mr. Douglas Jenkins, Consul-General for the United States, Mr. M. J. Quist, Consul-General for the Netherlands, Mr. K. Larssen, Consul for Norway, Dr. Black, the Consul-General for Japan and Italy, Mr. V. Schriver, Consulate Netherlands, Mr. T. H. R. Shaw, Mr. Baringer, American Trade Commissioner, Mr. Maynard, Assistant Trade Commissioner, Mr. J. D. Bush, Mr. Wong Kwong Tin, Mr. J. H. Jessen, Mr. and Mrs. Melchers, members of the Committee of the German Club, Mr. F. Reck, M. Poinsot, Mr. W. H. Lebert, Manager of the J.C.J.L. Line, M. Crommelin, M. de Tong and Mr. von. Ehren.

RIDER MAIN ABOLITION

FURTHER CHINESE PROTESTS

The Government intention to abolish the rider main system is being widely criticised by various sections of the Chinese community. Many letters of protest from individuals and Chinese associations have appeared in the Chinese Press during the past few days.

This morning the Chinese Chamber of Commerce was in receipt of another petition, signed by numerous Chinese firms and individuals, which was subsequently handed to the unofficial Chinese members of the Legislative Council. The petitioners believe that the abolition plan will cause much hardship to those who live in tenement houses.

BOWLS CHAMPIONSHIP.

REMAINING 4TH ROUND TIES FIXED

The two remaining games in the fourth round of the Open singles bowls championship have now been fixed, the winners of which enter the semi-final.

On Monday, August 15, at the Club de Recreio, J. G. Ozorio meets L. A. Guterriez, the winner to play A. H. Oswick.

On Tuesday. August 16, R.F. Luz plays A.W. Grimmitt, the winner meeting Nish.

Wins For Grimmit And Guterres.

A. W. Grimmitt, the Civil Service bowler, scored an easy win over W. Russell, of Taikoo, at the Club de Recreio yesterday when they met in the open singles championship. The score in favour of Grimmitt was 21-4.

On the same ground, L. A. Guterres beat his club mate, J. J. Basto 21 to 16.

Taikoo Club Teams.

On Saturday, the Taikoo Club's 1st. team v. the Kowloon Bowling Green Club (away) will be:

J. Chapman, A. Stalker, G. McLeod, D. Munro (Skip), J. Polson, D. Bone, J. Russell, J. Chalmers, (Skip), J. Watson, W. Weir, R. Keown, W. Wotherspoon (Skip).

2nd. team, v. Kowloon Bowling Green Club (home):

W. Brown, T. Currie, G. Stewart, J. Sloan (Skip), E. Greenwood, J. Waid, D. Peoples, H. McKechnie (Skip), T. Swan, C. Summers, A. MacIndoe, S. Hope (Skip).

Games to start at 3.30 p.m. Launch will leave Dockyard at 2.30 p.m.

Bowling Green Teams.

The following teams have been selected to represent the Kowloon Bowling Green Club in their league matches on Saturday:

1st team v. Taikoo at the Kowloon Bowling Green:

A. W. E. Davidson, R. Duncan, R. Hall, A. M. Holland (Skip), C. S. Bent, H. F. Stoneham, H. Nish, W. Russell (Skip), G. N. Mitchell, A. K. Taylor, E. W. L. Hogbin, D. Gow (Skip).

2nd team v. Taikoo at Taikoo:

C. L. Farmer, J. S. Logan, W. E. Hale, W. S. Drake (Skip), F. V. Whitta, V. Labrum, J. G. Meyer, F. L. Rapley (Skip), C. Hatt, T. Hard, W. Venables, V. Petherick (Skip).

Recreio Teams.

The following teams will represent the Club de Recreio in their matches on Saturday:

1st team v. Craigengower (home):—L. A. G. Gutierrez, F. V. Ribeiro, A. S. Gomes, C. E. Marques (skip); J. M. M. Alves, R. R. Robarts, L. C. R. Souza, R. F. Luz (skip); F. X. M. Silva, C. A. Lopes, E. M. Remedios, C. G. Silva (skip).

2nd team v. Craigengower (away):—M. A. Carvalho, D. S. Alves, J. G. Ozorio, A. H. Basto (skip); P. Xavier, J. M. S. Rosario, J. J. Basto, Dr. R. A. C. Basto (skip); F. A. Prata, B. Basto, A. E. S. Alves, C. H. Basto (skip).

JAPAN'S DAY

SEVERAL VICTORIES IN OLYMPIC SWIMMING

Los Angeles, Aug. 10.

It was Japan's great day at Olympia to-day, when the programme was comprised mainly of aquatic events.

Japan won the 800 metres swimming relay in the Olympic record time of 8 min. 58 2-5 sec., and another Olympic record was shattered when Yokoyama ran away with the semi-final of the 400 metres freestyle in 4 min. 51 2-5 sec. Sugimoto was placed second in the other semi-final, and Miss Mae Hata was second in the women's 200 metres breast stroke final.

It was in this event that Australia secured its first win, Miss Claire Dennis, the youthful New South Wales swimmer, breaking a world and Olympic record in 3 min. 6 3-10 sec.

Mrs. Philip Senbraun, of Holland, won her heat in the 100 metres women's backstroke in 1.23 4-5.

The Japanese lightweight boxer Ko was beaten on points by Kartz of Germany.—*Reuter's American Service.*

EXCHANGE RATES

	Previous Day.	Yesterday.
Paris	88⅝	89
Geneva	17.81½	19.29/32
Berlin	14.19/32	14.62½
Helsingfors	232½	232½
Oslo	19.31/32	19.31/32
Athens	530	530
Buenos Aires	Nom.	Nom.
Shanghai	—	1/9⅛
New York	3.47¼	3.48¾
Amsterdam	6.02½	8.66
Vienna	29	29
Madrid	42⅝	43.5/16
Bucharest	585	585
Hongkong	1/3.25/32	1/4
Brussels	25.1//32	25.12½
Milan	67⅞	68¼
Prague	117¼	117¼
Stockholm	19.45	19.50
Copenhagen	18.67½	18.23/32
Lisbon	110	110
Rio	5.3/16	5.3/16
Bombay	1/6.3/32	1/6.3/32
Yokohama	1/6¼	1/6
Montevideo	30	30
Montreal	3.98	4.01
Belgrade	212½	215
Silver (spot)	17.13/16	17⅞
" (forward)	17⅞	17.15/16

—*British Wireless.*

RADIO BROADCAST

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5-8 p.m. European Programme.

5-6 p.m.

A relay of the Hongkong Hotel Orchestra, by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio).

6-8 p.m. A programme of Columbia records.

6-6.13 p.m. Hawaiian Music.

Empty Bed Blues
Sung by Bessie Smith 14312-D.
Panhana
That Lovin' Four
Andrew Alona's Novelty Four 1788-D.

6.13-6.53 p.m. A Concert.

Violin Solo—Mazurka Zarzycki)
Violin Solo—Romanza Andalusa (Sarasate)
Bronislaw Huberman L2332.
Song—I'll Always be True (Connelly-Benatzky)
Song—The Song is Done (Connelly-Stolz)
Marine Burke (Soprano) DB529.
Piano Solo—Minuetto from Suite (Suk)
Piano Solo—Berceuse (Chopin)
Ignaz Friedman L2260.
Song—Les Millions D'Arlequin (Sangwin-Drigo)
Song—Vienna, City of my Dreams (Lockton-Sieczynski)
Charles Kullman (Tenor) DB841.
'Cello Solo—Shenandoah (Thiman)
'Cello Solo—The Meistersingers—Prize Song (Wagner, arr. Squire)
W. H. Squire L2186.

7 p.m. (Stock Quotations, etc.)

6.53-7.23 p.m. Orchestral.

Dance of the Flowers (Delibes)
Lucerne Kursaal Orchestra LX30.
On the Steppes of Central Asia (Borodine)
Orchestra de la Societe des Concerts du Conservatoire, Paris L2219.
Leonore Overture No. 1 (Beethoven)
Willem Mengelberg & His Concertgebouw Orchestra LX160.
Song—An Ev'ning in Caroline
Marion Harris (Comedienne) DB822.
Band—Day by Day
Geraldo & His Accordion Band DB823.
Descriptive Sketch—It Isn't Cricket
Clapham and Dwyer DB846.
Banjo Solo—Rhapsody in Blue
Eddie Peabody DB812.
Vocal Duet—The Turning of the Tide
Layton and Johnstone DB827.
Accordion Duet—O Sole Mio
The Destifano Brothers DB135.
Humorous Duet—Oi!
Flanagan and Allen DB816.
Song—Spring is Here Again
Marion Harris (Comedienne) DB851.
Vocal Duet—My Mum
Chick Endor & Charlie Farrell DB867.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.3-9.30 p.m. Chinese Programme.

9.30-10 p.m.

A relay of the band of the 1st Battn. South Wales Borderers, conducted by Bandmaster Gecks, from the Officer's Mess, Murray Barracks, by courtesy of the Officer Commanding.

10 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10-11.30 p.m. Chinese Programme.

11.30 p.m. Close.

All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. Anderson Music Co.

KZRM PROGRAMME.

To-day's broadcast from the Manila station:
5.45 p.m. Health Period—Dr. Rebecca Parish.
6.15 p.m. Spanish information period
6.30 p.m. English information period.
7.00 p.m. Rockne Program.
7.15 p.m. Dialect Program (Bicolano).
7.30 p.m. Puyat Products Party.
7.45 p.m. Studio Music.
8.00 p.m. L. R. Aguinaldo Program.
8.30 p.m. Apo Cement Sponsorship, Apo String Quartet.
8.45 p.m. World Events by R. A. Smith.
9.00 p.m. Dance Music—Dollar Steamship Pres. McKinley Orchestra.
10.30 p.m. Close Down.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

A.O.F.C. QUOTATIONS FOR YESTERDAY

New York, Aug. 10.

Dow Jones Averages:	Aug. 9	Aug. 10
30 Industrials	67.08	69.39
20 Rails	26.77	28.62
20 Utilities	28.25	29.29

Messrs. E. A. Pierce & Co. report:—The market is strong. Business done:—4,400,000 shares.

	Last Price	To-day's Price
Air Reduction	51¼	$53
Allied Chemical & Dye	77⅛	80⅛
American Can	51⅝	54⅞
American Telegraph & Telephone	110½	114⅝
American Tobacco "B"	79⅝	78¼
Auburn	73	76¼
Borden Company	30⅝	31⅝
Canadian Pacific	12⅞	13¼
Consolidated Gas of New York	54⅛ *	56⅞
Drugs, Inc.	41	41⅝
Du Pont de Nemours	38½	40
Eastman Kodak	61½	53 †
General Electric	18⅝	18⅞
General Foods	27⅝	28⅞
General Motors	15	15⅝
International Harvester	26½	31
International Tel. & Tel.	9⅛	9½
Liggett & Myers "B"	56¼	56
Loew's Inc.	26½	28
Pacific Gas & Electric	27¼	28
Pennsylvania Railway	15⅝	16¼
Radio Corporation	7⅝	7⅞
Sears Roebuck	21⅝	23⅝
Standard Oil Company of N. J.	35¼	35⅝
Socony-Vacuum Corp.	11¼	11⅝
Union Carbide & Carbon	25¼	25¼
Union Pacific	65	68⅛
United Aircraft & Trans.	13⅝	14⅞
United States Steel	40⅛	42⅞
Westinghouse E. & M.	34	35

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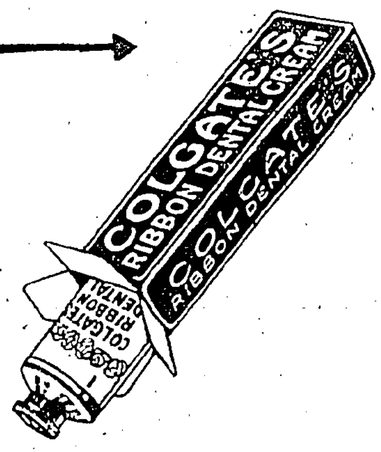

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LEAGUE TENNIS

S. CHINA FLATTERED

K. C. C. UNLUCKY TO LOSE SO HEAVILY

If ever a score of 8—1 flattered a team it was in the league tennis match between the Kowloon Cricket Club and South China in the "B" Division yesterday, which the latter won.

Two of the sets went to twelve games and three others to ten, and in three instances the K.C.C., were leading, one at 5—1 and another at 4—2. Slightly superior team work turned the tide in favour of the visitors, but they scarcely deserved to win by such a pronounced margin.

Dunn and Kengelbacker were the best K.C.C. pair, winning the one and only set and taking the other two to ten games each.

Luk Ding-cheong and S.W. Wong played clever tennis in winning their three sets, but they were given a fright in the final round, leading Dunn and Kengelbacker 4—love, 5—1, and then being taken to 6—4. Scores:—

P. Dunn and F. Kengelbacker (K.C.C.) beat K.H. Chan and C.C. Luk 5—7; lost to D.C. Luk and S.W. Wong 4—6; lost to W.T. Lee and S. Chan 4—6.

L. Jack and G. Lee (K.C.C.) lost to Chan and Luk 1—6; lost to Luk and Wong 2—6; lost to Lee and Chan 5—7.

D.S. Green and C. Kengelbacker (K.C.C.) lost to Chan and Luk 2—6; lost to Luk and Wong 4—6; lost to Lee and Chan 3—6.

K. C. C. v RECREIO.

The Recreio completed their programme in the "C" Division when they met and defeated the Kowloon Cricket Club on their own courts yesterday. As a result they once again enjoy the runners-up position, unless, of course, the Chinese Recreation Club make a slip in their remaining matches, in which case the Recreio would still be given a chance of capturing the championship. Scores:—

J. J. Remedios and J. Gonsalves (Recreio) lost to Smith and Mackay 4-6; lost to Capell and White 1-6; beat Gregory and Lubeseder 6-4.

C. A. Barretto and H. A. Noronha (Recreio) beat Smith and Mackay 6-4; beat Capell and White 6-4; beat Gregory and Lubeseder 6-1.

L. A. da Rocha and G. A. Noronha (Recreio) beat Smith and Mackay 6-2; beat Capell and White 6-3; beat Gregory and Lubeseder 6-0.

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UNPOPULAR VERDICT

AMAZING SCENES AFTER "NO CONTEST" DECISION

Truly amazing happenings occurred when the announcement of "No contest" was made after a fight between Al Brown, the coloured bantamweight champion of the world, and the Frenchman, Kid Francis, at a charity affair at Marseilles.

Dr. James Sparkes, Commander in France of the American Legion, who acted as one of the judges, was badly mauled by a number of spectators who thought he was in favour of Brown.

The Italian referee, Lomazi, at first awarded the decision to Kid Francis, but the French judge, Chubennes, decided in favour of Brown. The referee's decision was greeted by uproarious scenes, during which some spectators at the ringside had rather indiscretly looked over the shoulder of Dr. Sparkes, the other judge, and thinking that the card showed in favour of Brown, they promptly "jumped" on him and snatched the offending missile. A general rugby scrum ensued; during which the scrap of paper was lost, and Dr. Sparkes appeared to emerge in a worse condition than either of the two boxers. With the referee and one judge disagreeing as to the result there was nothing more for the referee to do than to alter his decision to "no contest." This he did half an hour after his original announcement in favour of Kid Francis.

Kid Francis lodged a formal protest against the re-considered verdict, and the whole matter has been reported to the French Boxing Federation.

The proceeds of the match were given to the wives and children of three Marseilles policemen who were recently killed on duty.

TRIUMPH OF MARY HEELEY

MADAME MATHIEU BEATEN

Paris, July 15.

There was some spirited play by England's lawn tennis women at Le Touquet yesterday when the two days' match against France was commenced.

Miss Mary Heeley, of Birmingham furnished a sensation by beating Mme. Mathieu. France's No. 1 player, by the score of 6—1, 0—6, 6—3.

The British women, by winning three of the singles and the two doubles matches, led by five wins to one at the end of the day.

Mme. Mathieu announced her intention of sweeping her youthful opponent off the court in record time. She hit with tremendous speed—sending over a 50 per cent, faster ball than at Wimbledon—and when she found those hard-hit balls sent back and back regularly, Mme. Mathieu, in desperation, tried to hit lumps of chalk from the lines. In a word, playing against Miss Heeley was like playing against a brick wall.

The English girl revealed a stern spirit. She must have run at least ten miles to and fro across the court. Both players avoided the net; they knew their limitations. But in those heroic bouts of baseline duelling Miss Heeley achieved her greatest triumph on the court.

Miss Heeley was again on the winning side of the net against Mme. Mathieu when she and Miss Freda James soundly beat Mme. Mathieu and Mlle. Rosambert by 6—4, 6—0 in the last match of the day.

Playing in her first international match at the age of 18, Miss Stammers, the English prodigy, put up a splendid fight against Mlle. Rosambert, one of France's strongest singles players. The French girl won at 6—3 5—7, 6—3. Other results were:

Singles.—Mrs. Fearnley-Whittingstall (Great Britain) beat Mlle. Adamoff (France); 6—2, 6—2; Miss Dorothy Round (Great Britain) beat Mme. Henrotin (France). 6—1, 6—3.

Doubles.—Mrs. Fearnley-Whittingstall and Miss Round (Great Britain) beat Mme. Henrotin and Mlle. Barbier (France). 6—3, 6—1.

Derby Winner in £200 Race

TRAINING EVENT FOR ST. LEGER

April the Fifth, who won the Derby this year, has been entered for the St. Helens Stakes, to be run at Haydock Park to-day.

The distance of the race is a mile and a half, and the value to the winner is under £200.

April The Fifth.

For some reason very few book engagements were made for April the Fifth in his younger days, and he had not a single liability to to fill between the Derby, on June 1, and the St. Leger, on September 7. Thus his trainer was faced by the necessity of finding an event in which to run the horse between the dates of the two classics.

POLICE NOT TO ENTER SOCCER LEAGUE

Important Decision Made Yesterday

The Police Recreation Club have decided not to participate in the Hongkong Football League this winter.

This decision was reached at an extraordinary general meeting of members yesterday, when a motion, that the club enter a team in the first Division of the League was defeated by 16 votes to 12.

Animated discussion followed the announcement of the Chairman, Inspector Booker, as to the cause of the meeting, in the course of which the opinion was expressed that it was impossible to enter the league owing to the difficulty of arranging for leave for the players.

On the other hand the argument was advanced that the club should continuue its association with local competitive football if only for the enjoyment to be derived from the game.

GOLF COURSE RECORD SHATTERED

BY COTTON & COMPSTION

Royal Porthcawl course record of 68 was shattered last month when the second round of the "Penfold-Porthcawl" tournament was played under perfect conditions, after the previous day's rain. First A. M. Chevalier and A. G. Havers equalled the old figures of 68, and then Archie Compston, eleven strokes behind the leader after one round, gave a dazzling display to lower the record by two strokes. His aggregate of 145, however, still left him eight strokes behind Havers, whose two rounds aggregate was 137. Then Henry Cotton, giving a faultless display of putting, equalled Compston's new record, went two strokes ahead of Havers, and left Compston ten shots behind.

Compston had given a wonderful exhibition of approaching, the first eleven holes being taken in 36 strokes—eight threes and three fours. At the third his iron shot from the rough, following a bad drive, was within a yard of the pin, the putt being holed for a "bridie" three. He hit a brassie shot to within four feet of the pin at the fifth, where he secured an "eagle" three, nearly holed his chip, after being over the green, at the short seventh; a ten yards putt three at the eighth was followed by another chip shot, which placed the ball close to the pin at the ninth, for another three.

THE FIRST BUNKER.

Coming home for the first time he found a bunker, this was at the twelfth, and he took five, his ball stopping dead, where it pitched, just short of the green. After bunkering his drive at the fourteenth he missed a chance of holing a putt for a three, and was not on any of the next three greens in two, yet pitched up dead, and took no more than four. His figures were:

Out:	4, 4, 3, 3, 3, 4, 3, 3, 3—30	
Home:	3, 3, 5, 5, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4—36	
		—
	Total	66

Chevalier had returned 73 so that he was well placed. He never once exceeded bogey at a hole, and saved six strokes on bogey during the last ten holes.

Havers had five "birdies" in the first eight holes, a 4ft. putt giving him the seventh in two. A tendency to hook his long shots developed. This cost him five at the ninth, and though he was three under fours for the next six holes—missing from four feet for a two at the fourteenth, his ball resting in the pitch mark from a previous shot—he hooked at each of the last three holes, and had two fives and a four.

Then came Cotton's remarkable round to equal Compston's record and give him a two strokes lead of the field from Havers. Cotton's figures were:

Out:	3, 4, 3, 2, 4, 4, 3, 4, 3—30	
Home:	5, 3, 5, 4, 3, 4, 4, 5, 3—36	
		—
	Total	66

On six of the first nine greens Cotton holed his first putt, including one of five yards for a two at the fourth, and another of eight yards for a three at the ninth. He missed from six inches at the twelfth, taking three putts, but quickly recovered his brilliant putting touch to finish well.

Other good rounds were 69 for a total of 146 by A. Perry (Leatherhead); 69 for 144 by Percy Alliss (Beaconsfield); 70 for 144 by T. Collinge (Swinton Park); and 70 for 144 by A. J. Lacey (Seledon Park).

Shanghai Bowler Honoured

PRESENTATION TO MR. BROWETT

An interesting function took place at the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club, when a presentation was made to Mr. Harold Browett, a very old and respected member of the club. Mr. W. J. Ward, the Vice President, made the presentation, which consisted of a copy of the "Shanghai Album," autographed by all the members of the club, and a silver rose-bowl.

Mr. Ward said that Mr. Browett was one of the founders of the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club, and he had remained with them all through the years in various capacities. In 1926 he was President. It would seem strange indeed to go to the club and not see the familiar figure of Mr. Browett, and who amongst them had not enjoyed his delicious sandwiches, provided so generously week after week. Mr. Browett could be assured they all fully appreciated what he had consistently done for them and they would let the wording on the "Shanghai Album" speak for itself.

Mr. Browett in reply said that what he had done he always had done with the greatest pleasure, because it was a pleasure and because he enjoyed the good company he met there. He hoped he would be able to continue for many years to supply the sandwiches they so appreciated.

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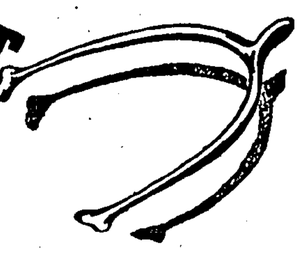

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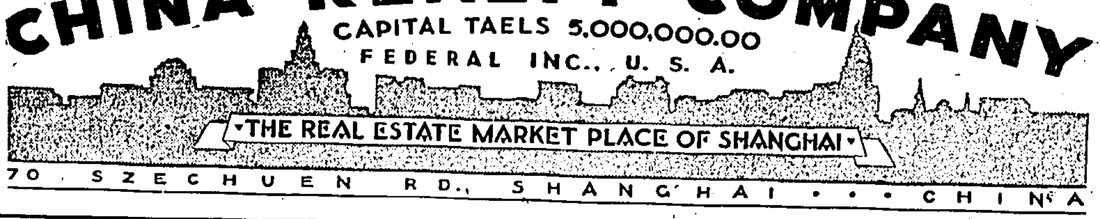

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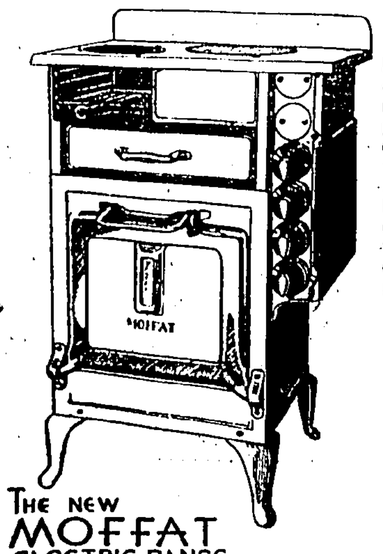

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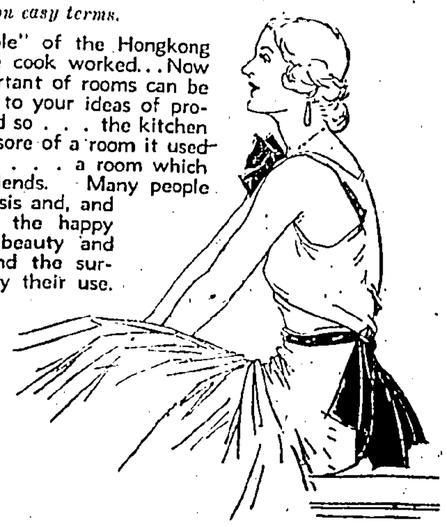

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LEAGUE TENNIS

CHINESE WIN SECURES "A" CHAMPIONSHIP

The Chinese R.C. have now won the "A" Division championship of the Lawn Tennis League by virtue of their victory over the Hongkong Club yesterday, six and a half sets to two and a half.

Scores:

M. K. Lo and M. W. Lo (C.R.C.) lost to Sewell and Sullivan, 4-6; beat Hazell and Williams, 6-3; beat Grimble and Wild, 6-4.

Ho Ka-lau and Yew Man-kit (C.R.C.) beat Sewell and Sullivan, 6-3; lost to Hazell and Williams, 3-6; beat Grimble and Wild, 6-1.

Iu Tak-cheuk and Tsui Wai-pui (C.R.C.) drew with Sewell and Sullivan, 6-6; beat Hazell and Williams, 6-3; beat Grimble and Wild, 6-3.

"C" DIVISION.

Army Club Surprises Indian R. C.

At Sookunpoo, the Army Tennis Club defeated the Indian R.C. on the latter's courts five sets to four.

Scores:

G. J. Mitchell and I. Jarman (A.T.C.) beat M. P. Madar and S. A. R. Rux, 6-3; lost to M. R. Abbas and A. A. Rumjahn, 4-6; beat A. H. Sufflad and A. M. Rumjahn, 6-0.

F. Matthews and W. J. Mitchell (A.T.C.) lost to Madar and Bux, 4-6; lost to Abbas and Rumjahn, 2-6; beat Sufflad and Rumjahn, 6-3.

W. Davies and R. Lewis (A.T.C.) lost to Madar and Bux, 4-6; beat Abbas and Rumjahn, 6-4; beat Sufflad and Rumjahn, 6-2.

Chinese R.C. v Graduates.

The Chinese R.C. playing at home, defeated the Graduates Association seven sets to two.

Scores:

M. K. Lau and L. F. Hon (C.R.C.) beat Dr. Yeo and W. M. Gittins, 6-4; drew with H. N. Chung and F. Zimmern, 6-6; beat Dr. Samy and T. K. Tan, 6-3.

S. W. Leung and H. S. Kwok (C.R.C.) beat Dr. Yeo and Gittins, 6-3; beat Chung and Zimmern, 6-2; beat Dr. Samy and Tan, 6-2.

M. C. Lau and F. K. Lau (C.R.C.) drew with Dr. Yeo and Gittins, 6-6; lost to Chung and Zimmern, 5-7; beat Dr. Samy and Tan, 6-3.

Craigengower v Kowloon Indians.

The Craigengower C.C. entertained the Kowloon Indians at Happy Valley and won five and a half sets to three and a half.

Scores:

A. Kitchell and F. Broadbridge (C.C.C.) lost to Firdos Khan and M. A. Khan, 2-6; drew with Feroz Ali and M. Mahan Singh, 6-6; beat S. R. Salleh and J. Mahan Singh, 6-3.

E. Howard and T. Lock (C.C.C.) lost to Firdos Khan and M. A. Khan, 4-6; beat Feroz Ali and Mahan Singh, 6-1; lost to Salleh and Mahan Singh, 4-6.

W. Reed and R. Lee (C.C.C.) beat Firdos Khan and M. A. Khan, 6-1; beat Feroz Ali and Mahan Singh, 6-4; beat Salleh and Mahan Singh, 6-2.

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MURDER TRIAL ARGUMENT

MR. POTTER OBJECTS TO EVIDENCE

TWO PLOTS

A crucial stage in the trial of Cheng Kwok-yau on a charge of procuring the murder of George Fung was reached yesterday, when Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., leading counsel for the defence, objected to admission of the evidence of Zimmern and Christie, two of the Crown's principal witnesses, on the ground of its irrelevancy.

Immediately on the Court's resumption after the tiffin adjournment, Mr. Potter took the point that the evidence of Zimmern and Christie was irrelevant to the present case.

The Chief Justice: I ought to have some note of the evidence proposed to be called to which you are objecting.

Mr. Potter: You have the depositions and a copy of the opening address of Mr. Lindsell. I have a case here where a judge satisfied himself from the depositions alone.

Continuing, Mr. Potter said the defence's objection to the admissibility of evidence taken broadly, came to this—on a certain date Zimmern and Christie were requested by the accused to murder Fung.

The murder was actually committed by different people at a different time and under an entirely different set of circumstances.

Mr. Potter went on to refer to an objection he had taken earlier to the admission of evidence that the accused once threatened to shoot Lai Ming-fay.

The Chief Justice: I did not strike that evidence out then. The point has not been argued and I can still strike it out.

Mr. Potter: But it was sworn to by the girl and the jury heard it.

The Chief Justice: I have not admitted this point. I can instruct the jury to take no notice of it.

Mr. Potter: Well, we can leave it at that.

Mr. Sheldon: If there is any doubt about it, your Lordship can strike it out now. It is not a matter of any importance.

Counsel's Retort.

Mr. Potter: Well then for the life of me, I can't understand the Crown's case. I don't think Mr. Sheldon should say that. The other day the Attorney General gave a ground for the question and pressed for its admission after I had objected. It was not even suggested then that the question was of no importance. This is most remarkable.

Mr. Sheldon: Can't we leave these personal matters out?

Mr. Potter: I am entitled to criticise the Crown case in any way I like and I will. Here we have one learned counsel pressing for the admission of a piece of evidence over my objection, and now his colleague gets up and says it is of no importance.

The Chief Justice: I think the answer was given before the objection was taken. After the objection Mr. Sheldon said he would not press for its admission if there was any doubt.

Mr. Potter: He says that today, but the other counsel took a different view yesterday.

Different Circumstances.

Proceeding, Mr. Potter said, "Broadly speaking, on March 21st, it is alleged Zimmern and Christie were requested to murder Fung. You will note these important facts. The parties were entirely different; there is no connexion in fact between the alleged incident from February 18th. to 21st. and the incident which is the subject matter of the indictment.

"The indictment alleges that the accused through Lau Hing did counsel, procure and command Tsui and Wong to commit the murder."

Mr. Potter then commenced to quote many authorities and read cases to prove his contention that evidence of a plot to kill Fung by poison could not be accepted as evidence that he too was at the back of a plot to shoot Fung.

Alternative Argument.

Alternatively, he argued, if the Crown could establish the case as alleged in the indictment, which was that the accused had procured the murder through Lau Hing, there was no necessity to put in the evidence of Zimmern and Christie to prove deliberate intent.

"If the Crown cannot establish by evidence that the accused through Lau Hing procured people to commit the murder," added Mr. Potter, "then this evidence is equally inadmissible in that it is not evidence to prove that the accused procured Fung's death through Lau, according to the indictment."

Mr. Potter laid great stress on the argument that evidence of an act committed once cannot be taken as evidence that a similar later act was committed by the same person.

"There is no authority," he added, "to show that feelings of enmity alone can be taken as sufficient proof of murder."

Defence Not Afraid.

Mr. Potter remarked that for the reasons given in the authorities quoted the evidence was not admissible. Mr. Potter suggested the evidence might be admitted by his Lordship and the defence would accept it subject to further objection later.

The defence was not afraid of the evidence at all, but they had to take the point because it was a vital one and no Counsel would take the responsibility of not objecting.

Mr. Sheldon said that he ventured to submit that this was the first time it was argued in the Courts in Hongkong that if "A" threatened to murder "B" it showed his guilty intent to murder "B," but if that intent were communicated to a third party it was not admissible as evidence of guilty intent.

Mr. Sheldon proceeded to quote authorities to show that the Crown could give evidence of enmity of the accused against the deceased. It was admissible as evidence of motive, as evidence of means and opportunity, that accused had made preparations to murder Fung and that he had threatened to do the act, he having asked Zimmern on one occasion for a dagger because he wanted to murder Fung.

"Formidable Evidence."

The evidence which it was sought to adduce was evidence of a very formidable nature, and it showed hatred, jealousy and intention to kill the dead man, and if it were proved that the dead man was in fact murdered, it was not only evidence of *mens rea* but evidence that he actually did the act.

Mr. Sheldon quoted what he described as a remarkable case in which a policeman was killed and depositions given by the policeman in a previous case against the prisoner were admitted to show malice.

His Lordship said that proof of enmity plus proof of death would not be sufficient to convict. Evidence of great enmity plus partial identification plus the discovery on the scene of a revolver traced to prisoner, would connect him with the crime, but in the present case before the Court there was something in between. They had enmity plus an agent connected in an innocent way with the accused who, in fact, engineered the crime. Were these two things enough? If they were not enough in law would it be safe to allow the evidence of enmity to go before a jury? If the evidence were not sufficient to prove the crime it might be that the jury should be told that it was not relevant.

An Adjournment.

In reply Mr. Potter remarked that if there was evidence that Lau was the agent of the accused and that he (Lau) had procured Tsui to fire the shot the case for the Crown would be complete.

His Lordship remarked that the Crown might not have the evidence or it was very slight.

Mr. Potter replied that if there was no evidence or that it was slight he could not see how the evidence under argument would prove that Lau was the agent of the accused.

His Lordship reserved his decision.

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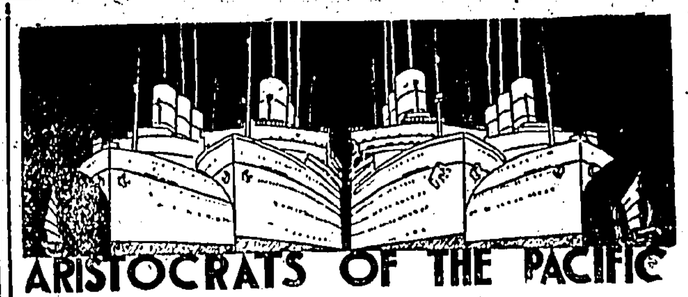

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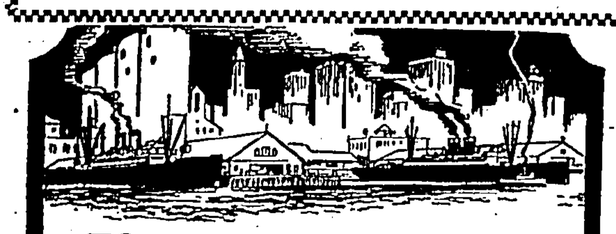

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Madrid, Aug. 10.

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Police and Government troops quelled the uprising, but not before four had been killed and many arrested.

The monarchist revolt which was supported by a brigade of artillery broke out at 5 a.m. It is stated that so far four have been killed and 80 arrests made.

The Government appear to be masters of the situation.

The rebels attacked the Police Headquarters and Government buildings, but the Police repulsed them after an exchange of hundreds of shots and drove out the attackers, some of whom were entrenched in the Ministry of Communications.

Nobility Arrested.

Those arrested include retired generals and members of the nobility.

The capital resembles an armed camp as all strategic centres are occupied by troops which the Government hastily summoned.

Communications abroad have been temporarily interrupted but have now resumed.

It is feared that repercussions may take place in the provinces.

Warrants were issued this morning for the arrest of ex-King Alfonso and a British contractor, allegedly named Solms, and several Spanish ex-officials.

Aid from Cavalry.

A regiment of cavalry stationed 20 miles from the capital joined the insurgents, whose movements were well planned by a group of Monarchist army officers and civilians, although the Government claims complete success.

The police obtained full information of the revolt after the arrest last night of eight Monarchists who were conspiring in a private house.

Thousands of demonstrators, carrying Republican flags, paraded later in the day in front of the Military Club, protesting against the rebel casualties which in addition to the four killed include 12 injured.

Police Chief in Action.

The chief of the Madrid police armed with a rifle, led the Government forces, comprising armed Police and Civil Guards, while the Premier, Senor Azana sat quietly at the Ministry of War, directing operations. One storming party, consisting of 60 armed men led by the former chauffeur of Primo de Rivera and a son of Duke Infantado, surrendered without resistance.—*Reuter.*

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LEAP YEAR BRIDE

(Continued from Page 2.)

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It was after five when she heard a quick rap at the door. Cherry rushed forward, beaming.

But it was not Dan Phillips at the other side of the door.

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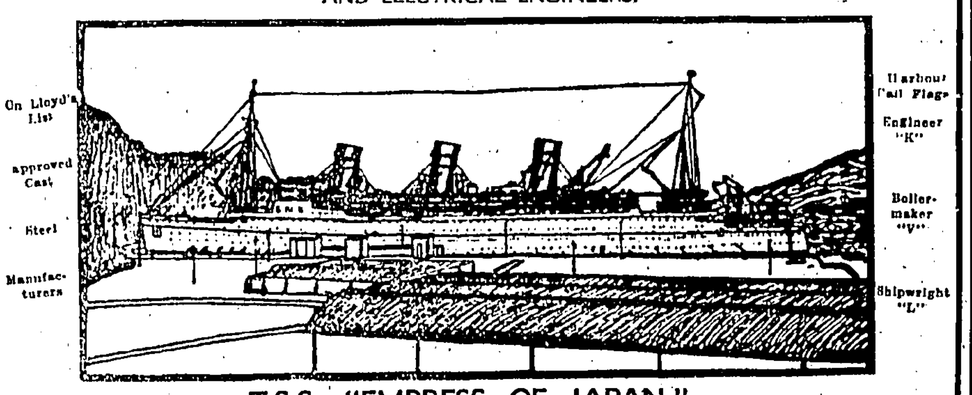

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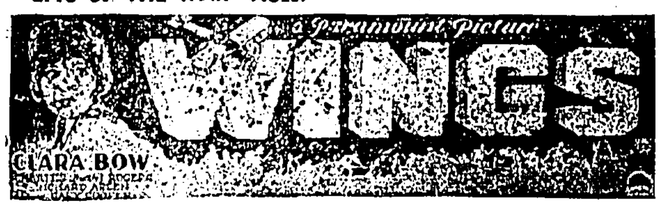

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SPEED RIVALS TO RACE

KAYE DON OFF TO AMERICA

TWO NEW BOATS

London, Aug. 10.

Mr. Kaye Don, who is to race Lord Wakefield's motor boat "Miss England III" for the Harmsworth International Trophy on Lake St. Clair, Detroit on September 2nd, 3rd and 5th, left Southampton today in the White Star liner, Majestic.

He said that "Miss England," which was shipped from Liverpool last Friday, would enter the race exactly as she was on Loch Lomond when she set up a new world's record of 119.81 miles per hour.

Kaye Don will have some days' practice before the contest in which he will again meet the American, Commodore Gar Wood, whose new boat has a considerably greater horsepower. — *British Wireless.*

PRINCES' VISIT TO FLEET

GREECE PREPARING WELCOME

London, Aug. 10.

The Prince of Wales and Prince George will leave London on Thursday on their visit to the Mediterranean Fleet. They will fly to Paris, taking train there for Venice, where they will arrive on Friday afternoon and spend the night.

On Saturday, they will proceed to Corfu in a flying boat and will probably alight near the flagship Queen Elizabeth, in which they will be quartered.

An Athens message says the Greek Minister of Marine will proceed in the destroyer Leon to Corfu to greet the Princes in the name of the Greek Government. He will present them, as momentoes of their visit, with replicas of two ancient great gold cups.—*British Wireless.*

WATCH & JEWEL THEFT

MONGKOK FERRY INCIDENT

Mr. T. P. K. Kemble appeared before Mr. Fraser, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, on behalf of Li Ho, 36 years of age, charged with theft of two watches and a jade pendant worth $105.

Sergeant Lamont said the complainant, a girl of 20, was going from Hongkong to Mongkok yesterday afternoon on the ferry launch Man Yee, carrying a tin containing these articles for her brother. During the journey, she went to the side of the craft and when she returned to her seat, she found the tin was gone. She also noticed that the defendant, who had occupied a seat near her, had disappeared. She made a report of the theft to the ticket-collector, at the same time conveying her suspicions of the defendant to him. They made a search for the defendant and eventually found him in the third-class compartment. This strengthened complainant's suspicions, but no search was made of the defendant, as the ticket collector had no authority.

When the ferry launch arrived at Mongkok, the matter was reported to the Wharf Inspector, who immediately locked all the gates and communicated with the police.

Meanwhile, the defendant who found that a search was intended, handed the articles to the Wharf Inspector.

In pleading guilty on defendant's behalf, Mr. Kemble asked for leniency on behalf of his client, who, he said, was unemployed, and yielded to a sudden temptation. He asked his Worship to have the defendant bound over. He pointed out that the defendant had handed back the property to the Wharf Inspector instead of throwing it overboard as he might have done.

His Worship said that, under the circumstances, he would not send accused to prison but would give him the option of a fine of $100 or one month.

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received a telegram from their Shanghai Office stating that the Ewo Cotton Mills, Limited, are paying an interim dividend of 35 candareens for the year 1932.

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NEW CREASELESS MATERIALS

TIES ON MARKET

London, Aug. 10.

The process which eliminates the crease from cotton, artificial silk and other fabrics, the discovery of which was announced in Manchester yesterday, has already been carried through to full commercial production.

It is the outcome of many years of research work by the well known industrial chemist, Dr. Willows, of Tootal, Broadhurst, Lee and Company, who have patented the process in Britain and twenty other countries, and are extending their Glossop works to produce creaseless fabrics.

The process also serves as a preservative to artificial silks and prevents them from rotting when washed.

It is applicable also to linen, shoddy and silk and is applied after the goods are bleached, dyed or printed.

The first antic-crease goods being marketed are men's ties, which were chosen as the best articles to demonstrate the advantages of the new discovery.—*British Wireless.*

FLYING PREMIER IN FOG

ESCORTING PLANE LOST SIGHT OF

London, Aug. 10.

The Prime Minister, at the conclusion of his private visit to the Ulster home of the Air Minister, Lord Londonderry, to-day, had a very foggy air journey across the North Channel and Scotland to Lossiemouth, where he is continuing his holiday.

He travelled in a seaplane, but the escorting machine was lost sight of in the fog. When the seaplane descended in Lossiemouth harbour, a large crowd gave Mr. MacDonald a cordial greeting.—*British Wireless.*

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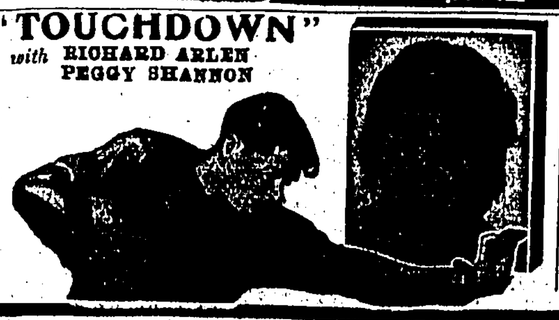

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Their only idea was to keep other people's goods out of their countries and yet sell their own goods abroad.

They had now got to that ridiculous position of having too much in their own country and not being able to trade with other countries. At present the nations had not got as much sense as schoolboys, and had to learn all over again to work together.